Annual Reports

of the

Town of Goffstown

New Hampshire

For the Year Ending
December 31, 1945

Annual Reports

OF THE

Selectmen, Treasurer and Town Clerk

OF THE

Town of Goffstown

FOR THE

Year Ending December 31, 1945

WITH THE

Report of the Fire Precinct

AND

Report of the School Board

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TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator
ALFRED W. POORE

Town Clerk
ELIZABETH HUTCHINS

Town Treasurer
LOUIS R. GREGG

Selectmen
LUCIEN M. HEBERT
FRANK N. SIMONS
CARL B. PATTEE

Tax Collector
WILLIAM SYM

Road Agents
HORACE L. SHIRLEY
HARRY PARKER, Resigned March 14, 1945

Supervisors
ROBERT M. GORDON
BENJAMIN F. GREER
FRANK W. BARTLETT

Health Officer
ROBERT M. GORDON

Police Department
JOHN L. PUTNAM, Chief

Trustees of Trust Funds
FRANK A. PARKER
HELEN C. KELLEY
WILLIAM R. EATON

Auditors

BENJAMIN F. GREER
HARRY F. COLBURN
FRANK BARTLETT

Surveyors of Lumber and Corders of Wood

BENJAMIN F. GREER
LAWRENCE W. SHIRLEY
GERALD UPTON
JOHN PERLEY
WILL A. PAIGE

Fence Viewers

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Trustees of Library

MARGARET SMITH
RUTH LUSCOMBE
CHARLES P. PAIGE
RAYMOND GREER
RUTH GAGNON
HARRY COLBURN, Chairman

Trustees of Cemetery

FRANK A. PARKER
FRANK N. SIMONS
MARSHALL FRENCH
LOUIS R. GREGG
CARL B. PATTEE

Trustees of Barnard Playground

GORDON P. HART
ROBERT L. STARK
MARSHALL FRENCH
EARL GREENWOOD
NORTON R. PHELPS

Fire Wardens

ROBERT M. GORDON, Chief
ERNEST FLETCHER, 1st Asst.
H. ALLEN BROWN, 2nd Asst.
FRED A. HAMILTON
CARL B. PATTEE, Clerk

Representatives to General Court

REV. AUSTIN H. REED
SUMNER E. BOUTELLE
NATHAN TIRRELL

Senator

R. ROBERT MATHESON

Forest Fire Warden

ERNEST FLETCHER

School Board

WILLIAM R. EATON, Chairman
RUTH B. LUSCOMBE, Clerk
ALBERT J. LAMOTHE

REPORT OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

Goffstown, N. H. — March 13, 1945

Meeting opened at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon by Moderator Alfred W. Poore. Article One of Warrant read and check-list posted.

On motion of R. M. Gordon it was voted that the polls be now opened for voting, that the balance of Warrant be read and Articles 2 to 23 be acted upon at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon, that the polls close at 6:00 o'clock and that our next Annual Town Meeting open at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon.

Polls were now opened for voting.

1:30 P.M. Balance of Warrant read by the Clerk.

The following Officers were elected in open meeting.

Cemetery Trustee for Three Years
Marshall French

Surveyors of Lumber and Corders of Wood
Benj. F. Greer, Lawrence W. Shirley, Gerald Upton, John Perley, Will A. Paige

Fire Warden
Ernest Fletcher, 3 yrs.

Fence Viewers
Board of Selectmen

Auditors
Benj. F. Greer, Harry F. Colburn, Frank W. Bartlett

Budget Committee
Frank W. Bartlett, Odilon Denoncourt, George Jenkins, Leland Stanyon, Rosalind C. Crafts

Report of Budget Committee given by Chairman Lawrence W. Shirley. He commended the Pinardville Fire Department for turning the total of their Fire Equipment over to the town.

Article 2. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $1350.00 for the Goffstown Public Library.

Article 3. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $1500.00 for the maintenance and improvement in the Cemeteries.

Article 4. Voted to dismiss this article.

Article 5. Voted to authorize the Selectmen to borrow from time to time as needed, certain sums of money in anticipation of taxes not to exceed in total at any time the sum of Thirty Thousand ($30,000.00) Dollars, giving the Selectmen the right to renew said loans in anticipation of taxes as may be found necessary.

Article 6. Voted to authorize the Selectmen to administer or dispose of any Real Estate acquired by the Town through Tax Collector's Deeds.

Article 7. Voted to allow the Selectmen to renew the Bridge note, so called, held by the Hillsborough County Savings Bank, upon which Four Thousand ($4,000.00) Dollars is due August 1, 1945, at such time as the Bank may require.

Article 8. Voted to accept State Aid for improvement of Class Five (5) Roads and to raise and appropriate the sum of Eleven Hundred Nine and 73/100 (1,109.73) Dollars, the State to contribute Four Thousand Four Hundred Thirty-Eight and 92/100 (4,438.92) Dollars.

Article 9. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of Six Hundred ($600.00) Dollars for expense of Grange Hall and Rationing Board Office due to War Emergency.

Article 10. Voted to buy Five Hundred (500) feet of two and one-half (2½) inch hose and Two Hundred Fifty (250) feet of one and one-half (1½) inch hose and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Article 11. Voted to dismiss this Article.

Article 12. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand ($2,000.00) Dollars for the continuation of the proposed Sewer in Pinardville.

Article 13. Voted to dismiss this Article.

Article 14. Voted to authorize the establishment of a Planning Board as provided for in the Revised Laws of New Hampshire Chapter 53, Sec. 1 to 15 inclusive. The Planning Board to be made up of Seven (7) members, and to be appointed by the Selectmen with the advice of the Moderator, and raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred ($100.00) Dollars to cover any expense incurred by said Board.

Article 15. Voted to act favorably upon this Article and authorize the Selectmen to have a Fire Escape installed on the Town Hall in Grasmere, leading from the third floor known as the Banquet Hall, so called, so that said floor may be usable.

Article 16. Voted to support the United States membership in a general system of international co-operation, such as that proposed at the Dumbarton Oaks Conference, having police power to maintain Peace of the World by the following votes: 65 yes 4 no

Article 17. Voted this Article be dismissed and the following substituted: That the sum of Two Thousand ($2,000.00) Dollars be raised and appropriated to be used under supervision of the Selectmen to accept, repair and maintain streets in Pinardville.

Article 18. Voted to purchase a Motor Road Grader and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Article 19. Voted to discontinue as an open highway the Richard Road, so called, leading from the Mast Road to residence formerly owned by Frank Guertin and make same subject to gate and bars.

Article 20. Voted to reduce the number of Road Agents of the Town to one, beginning at the end of 1945 Town Meeting.

Article 21. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty ($250.00) Dollars for improvement and maintenace of Barnard Playground.

Article 22. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of Seventy-Four Thousand Five Hundred Sixty-Eight and 39/100 ($74,568.39) Dollars for the support of the poor, construction and maintenance of Highways and Bridges and all other necessary Town expenses for the ensuing year including the amount required for Memorial Day.

Article 23. Voted to accept the Printed Reports.

Voted the Clerk be instructed to write a letter of thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Warren Marshall for use of Ration Board Office.

Voted the Clerk write a letter of thanks and appreciation to the Pinardville Fire Department for the fine work done by their Department.

No other business, Polls were again opened for voting.

Total number of names on check list..	2,131
Total number Ballots cast.....	214
Straight Republican Ballots.....	147
Straight Democrat Ballots.....	20

Republicans		*Democrats*	
	Town Clerk		
Elizabeth Hutchins	181	Elizabeth Hutchins	29
	Treasurer		
Louis R. Gregg	182	Louis R. Gregg	29
	Selectman		
Carl B. Pattee	178	Carl B. Pattee	29
	Road Agent		
Horace Shirley	177	Horace Shirley	31
Harry Parker	154	Charles Gutterson	6
Charles Gutterson	6	Gordon Hart	1
	Independent		
Charles Gutterson	10		
	Library Trustees		
Harry F. Colburn	178	Harry F. Colburn	28
Ruth Gagnon	180	Ruth Gagnon	28
	Trustee of Trust Funds		
William R. Eaton	182	William R. Eaton	29

Those having majority of Ballots cast were declared elected by the Moderator.

Carl B. Pattee, Selectman, Elizabeth P. Hutchins, Clerk and Selectmen as Fence Viewers took oath of Office in open meeting.

No other business, it was voted to adjourn at 7:05 o'clock Tuesday P.M. March 13, 1945.

ELIZABETH HUTCHINS,
Town Clerk.

A True Record
ATTEST: Elizabeth Hutchins, *Town Clerk.*

REPORT OF SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

Goffstown, N. H. — June 19, 1945

Meeting opened at 7:40 P.M. in the afternoon by Moderator Alfred W. Poore. Meeting was held by authority of the Superior Court and conducted exactly as any regular Town Meeting.

Warrant was read by the Clerk. Report of Budget Committee was given by Lawrence Shirley, Chairman.

Mr. Pattee, Chairman of the Selectmen, explained the Articles to be taken up before said meeting.

Voted to raise and appropriate money for Sewer, in amount determined by the Board of Selectmen, for the extension on Summer Street to residences of R. C. Rhines and Dr. R. A. Backus, and the Selectmen be authorized to borrow this money on short term notes.

Meeting adjourned at 8:17 o'clock in the P.M.

ELIZABETH HUTCHINS,
Town Clerk.

A True Record
ATTEST: Elizabeth Hutchins, *Town Clerk.*

TOWN WARRANT

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Goffstown, in the County of Hillsborough and in said State, qualified to vote in Town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Grange Hall in Goffstown Village on Tuesday, the twelfth day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon to act upon the following subjects:

Polls for voting to open at ten o'clock in the forenoon and close at six o'clock in the afternoon.

First—To choose all Town Officers and Agents for the ensuing year, including a member of the Board of Selectmen for three years, a member of the Board of Selectmen for two years and a member of the Board of Selectmen for one year.

Second—To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the Goffstown Public Library.

Third—To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for maintenance and improvement in our cemeteries.

Fourth—To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Hundred ($400.00) Dollars for the suppression of the White Pine Blister Rust.

Fifth—To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow from time to time as needed, certain sums of money in anticipation of taxes not to exceed in total at any time the sum of Thirty Thousand ($30,000.00) Dollars, giving the Selectmen the right to renew said loans as may be found necessary.

Sixth—To see if the Town will vote to authorize its Selectmen to administer or dispose of any Real Estate acquired by the Town through the Tax Collector's Deeds.

Seventh—To see if the Town will vote to allow its Selectmen to renew the Bridge note, so called, held by the Hillsborough County Savings Bank, upon which Three Thousand ($3,000.00) Dollars is due August 1, 1946 at such times as the bank may require.

Eighth—To see if the Town will vote to accept State Aid for improvement of Class Five Roads and to raise and appropriate the sum of Twelve Hundred Twenty Six and 39/100 ($1,226.39) Dollars, the State to contribute Four Thousand Nine Hundred Five and 57/100 ($4,905.57) Dollars.

Ninth—To see if the Town will vote to petition the State Tax Commission to have an audit made by the Division of Municipal Accounting and to make an appropriation to cover the same.

Tenth—To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Thousand ($4,000.00) Dollars for the continuation of the sewer in Pinardville.

Eleventh—To see if the Town will vote to extend the sewer on North Mast Street from Clinton Street to the residence of Mrs. Lewis Hoyt and to raise and appropriate money for the same. This article is inserted on petition of Albert W. Juwel and eleven others.

Twelfth—To see if the Town will vote to instruct its Selectmen to construct and lay out Larch Street, so called (East Side) and to raise and appropriate money for the same. This article is inserted on petition of David Labrecque and nine others.

Thirteenth—To see if the Town will vote to accept and lay out Moose Club Park Road, so called, and to raise and appropriate money for the same. This article is inserted on petition of Willie J. Denoncourt and thirty-seven others.

Fourteenth—To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Thousand ($3,000.00) Dollars together with the necessary Class Five Road money for the ensuing year to widen, straighten and improve certain sections of the Goffstown Back Road to Manchester, this work to be finished and tarred before the ground freezes in 1946. This article is inserted on petition of David E. Paige and eleven others.

Fifteenth—To see if the Town will vote to accept the Skating Rink and Flood lights constructed on land on Church Street through funds raised by the Mothers' Club and to place it under the authority of the Playground Commission to promulgate rules for supervision of the Rink and to be responsible for its maintenance. This article is inserted on petition of Mrs. Osman B. Richards, and twenty-four others.

Sixteenth—To see if the Town will vote to raise the necessary money to install and maintain Street lights on Mast Road from Pinard Street to Fairview Street or take any other action in relation thereto. This article is inserted on petition of Hector Pellerin and twenty others.

Seventeenth—To see if the Town will vote to install an electric light on Temple Court near the residence of Simeon Watts and raise and appropriate money for the same. This article is inserted on petition of George Ordway and nine others.

Eighteenth—To see if the Town will vote to extend the Street lights on Mast Road at Parker Station a distance

of approximately four hundred (400) feet westerly and raise and appropriate money for the same. This article is inserted on petition of John E. Parker and nine others.

Nineteenth—To see if the Town will vote to install a Street light on the Mast Road at the Bus stop at Grasmere Station and raise and appropriate money for the same. This petition is inserted on petition of Albert C. Taggart and thirteen others.

Twentieth—To see if the Town will vote to instruct its Selectmen to lay out and the Town to accept a public highway extending to the top of the South Uncanoonuc mountain from the existing way, in such specific place as the Selectmen shall deem advisable and raise and appropriate money for the same. This article is inserted on petition of E. Grace Laxson and 35 others.

Twenty-first—To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding one one-hundredth of one per cent (1 1/100 of 1%) of the assessed valuation based on the assessment of 1945 for the purpose of publicizing and promoting the natural advantages and resources of the Town together with other Towns of the Merrimack Valley Regional Association.

Twenty-second—To see if the Town will vote to authorize its Selectmen to erect on the site of the old Town House, a semi-fire proof Town office building with vaults for holding the Town records, and an assembly room of sufficient size for committee meetings, municipal Court and other Town purposes, said building not to exceed in cost the sum of Thirty Thousand ($30,000.00) Dollars, instructing the Selectmen to use the Town Hall Insurance Fund now amounting to $17,650.00 and to issue notes for the balance, or to take any other action relating thereto.

Twenty-third—To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Trustees of the Trust Funds to transfer the

School Fund, so called, the principal of said fund being $350.00, to the School District and the Parsonage Fund, so called, the principal of said fund being $800.00 to be divided in proportion as the interest has been paid to the Churches.

Twenty-fourth—To see if the Town will elect to approve of the inclusion of its officers and employees in the Employees Retirement System of the State of New Hampshire, which system is provided for by Chapter 27-A of the Revised Laws, as inserted by Chapter 163 of the Laws of 1945, and provided by Chapter 201 of the Laws, of 1945 and any subsequent amendments thereto.

Twenty-fifth—To see if the Town will vote to accept a lot of land if deeded to the Town by Mrs. Eleanor A. Brown to be used as a cemetery for the Brown families and their relatives, provided there shall be no expense to the Town. That a certain sum of money will be given the Town by Mrs. Brown when land is deeded to be used as a trust fund for the care of said Cemetery after the death of Mrs. Brown.

Twenty-sixth—To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a certain sum of money to be placed in a Capital Reserve Fund to be used at a later date for the purpose of installing Tax maps and Records or take any action relating thereto.

Twenty-seventh—To see if the Town will vote to establish a Sewer Fund, so called, so that all Entrance Fees or rentals shall be kept as a separate and distinct fund to be used for the replacement, repairs or extensions of the sewerage system or take any action relating thereto.

Twenty-eighth—To see if the Town will vote to tar the road leading from Mast Road past the dwelling of Theodore Reynolds and raise and appropriate money for the same. This article is inserted on petition of B. F. Greer and ten others.

Twenty-ninth—To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Hundred and Fifty ($350.00) Dollars for improvement and maintenance of Barnard Playground and care of Commons.

Thirtieth—To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the poor, construction and maintenance of highways and bridges and all other necessary Town expenses for the ensuing year, including the amount required for Memorial Day.

Thirty-first—To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors and Committees and pass any vote relating thereto.

Thirty-second—To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-fifth day of February, 1946.

LUCIEN M. HEBERT,
FRANK N. SIMONS,
CARL B. PATTEE,
Selectmen of Goffstown.

A True Copy of Warrant. Attest:

LUCIEN M. HEBERT,
FRANK N. SIMONS,
CARL B. PATTEE,
Selectmen of Goffstown.

1946 BUDGET

	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1946
From State:	
Interest and Dividends Tax	$3,400.00
Railroad Tax	150.00
Savings Bank Tax	1,000.00
From Local Sources Except Taxes:	
Business Licenses and Permits	100.00
Fines and Forfeits, Municipal Court	50.00
Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings	45.00
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits	140.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	3,000.00
Sale of Town Property acquired by Tax Deeds	1,600.00
Cash Surplus	6,922.74
From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:	
Poll Taxes—Regular at $2	2,800.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	123.00

Total Revenues from All Sources Except Property Taxes $19,330.70

1946 BUDGET

	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1945	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1946
Current Maintenance Expenses:		
General Government:		
Town Officers' Salaries	$3,607.30	$3,800.00
Town Officers' Expenses	1,852.46	2,100.00
Election and Registration Expenses	92.75	600.00
Municipal Court Expenses	300.00	300.00
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Bldgs.	1,316.94	800.00
Protection of Persons and Property:		
Police Department	1,271.61	1,500.00
Fire Department	7,593.12	8,500.00
Blister Rust	.....	400.00
Defense	321.35	.....
Health:		
Health Department, including hospitals	1,892.16	2,000.00
Vital Statistics	84.25	90.00
Sewer Maintenance	25.30	100.00
Highways and Bridges:		
Victory Tax	673.90	.....
Town Maintenance: Summer and Winter	28,010.81	27,000.00
Street Lighting	4,455.00	5,500.00
General Expenses of Highway Dept.	11,365.14	10,000.00
Town Road Aid	1,150.40	1,226.39
Libraries	1,350.00	1,400.00
Public Welfare:		
Town Poor	5,183.04	5,000.00
Old Age Assistance	3,234.96	4,000.00
Patriotic Purposes:		
Memorial Day and Veterans' Assns.	75.00	75.00
Recreation:		
Pks. and Playgr'ds, incl. band concerts	242.95	350.00
Public Service Enterprises:		
Cemeteries	1,500.00	1,500.00
Damages and Legal Expenses	21.44	50.00
Advertising and Regional Associations.	.....	200.00
Interest:		
On Temporary Loans	108.34	500.00
On Long Term Notes	90.00	60.00
Outlay for New Construction and perm. Improve.		
Town Construction, Pinardville	1,622.18	2,500.00
Painting Bridge	.....	100.00
Sidewalk Construction	994.95	800.00
Sewer Construction	3,877.11	13,300.00
New Lands and Buildings	1,528.91	.....
New Equipment	7,942.53	2,000.00
Indebtedness:		
Long Term Notes	1,000.00	1,000.00
Payments to Other Govt. Divisions:		
County Taxes	15,840.43	17,124.73
Payments to School Districts	41,780.97	51,926.00
Total Expenditures	$149,731.40	$165,702.12

VALUATION OF TOWN, 1945

Land and Buildings	$2,636,890.00
Growing Wood and Timber	8,200.00
Electric Plants	989,755.00
Horses, 122	15,785.00
Oxen, 2	250.00
Cows, 569	71,025.00
Other neat stock, 73	5,910.00
Sheep, 27	260.00
Hogs, 82	2,270.00
Fowls, 51,810	53,110.00
Portable Mills, 7	3,800.00
Wood, Lumber, etc.	8,300.00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks	4,155.00
Stock in Trade	69,700.00
Mills and Machinery	55,700.00
	$3,925,110.00

Amount of Property Valuation Exempted to Soldiers	$63,840.00
Amount of Property Valuation Exempted to Blind	1,000.00
Number of Polls in 1945—2,004	4,008.00
National Bank Stock	123.00
Raised to Defray Town Expenses	74,568.39

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND TAXES ASSESSED
For the Tax Year 1945

Town of Goffstown in Hillsborough County

Appropriations

Town Officers' Salaries	$3,800.00
Town Officers' Expenses	2,100.00
Election and Registration Expenses	200.00
Municipal Court Expenses	300.00
Town Hall and Buildings	1,550.00
Police Department	1,000.00
Fire Department	7,500.00
Health Department	2,000.00
Vital Statistics	90.00
Town Road Aid	1,109.73
Town Maintenance	22,000.00
Defense	600.00
Town Construction	2,000.00
Street Lighting	4,450.00
General Expenses of Highway Department	10,000.00
Sidewalk Construction	400.00
Sewer Construction	2,000.00
Lands and Buildings	1,000.00
New Equipment	8,000.00
Libraries	1,350.00
Old Age Assistance	4,500.00
Town Poor	4,000.00
Memorial Day	75.00
Parks and Playgrounds inc. Band Concerts	350.00
Cemeteries	1,500.00
Interest	290.00
Payments on Principal of Debt	1,000.00

County Tax		15,840.43
School Tax		43,130.00
Total Town and School Appropriations		$142,135.16
Less: Estimated Revenues and Credits:		
Interest and Dividend Tax	$3,347.96	
Railroad Tax	150.00	
Savings Bank Tax	1,200.00	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	2,000.00	
Business Licenses and Permits	115.00	
Fines and Forfeits—Municipal Court	30.00	
Rent of Town Property	30.00	
Interest Received on Taxes	150.00	
Sale of Tax Deeded Property	300.00	
Cash Surplus	11,793.64	
		19,116.60
Total Revenues and Credits		$123,018.56
Plus Overlay		3,096.97
Net Amount to be raised by Taxation		$126,115.53
Less:		
Regular Poll Taxes at $2.00	$4,008.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes	123.00	
		4,131.00
Amount to be raised by property taxes on which tax rate is to be figured		$121,984.53

Taxes to be Committed to Collector:	
Property Taxes	$121,984.53
Regular Polls at $2.00	4,008.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	123.00
Total Taxes—Town and Precinct	$126,115.53
Special Poll Taxes at $3.00	6,300.00
Total Taxes to be Committed	$132,415.53
Tax Rates:	
Town	$3.16
Average	$3.16

Certificate

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

June 8, 1945

LUCIEN M. HEBERT,
FRANK N. SIMONS,
CARL B. PATTEE,
Selectmen of Goffstown

		BALANCE
Town of Goffstown		
Assets		
Cash		
In hands of treasurer.....		$25,785.02
Accounts Due to the Town—		
Other bills due Town:		
Rent of Grasmere Hall....	$31.25	
Due for Sewer Entrances..	200.00	
		231.25
Unredeemed Taxes:		
Levy of 1944.....	$95.77	
Levy of 1943.....	91.16	
Previous Years	27.01	
		213.94
Uncollected Taxes:		
Levy of 1945:		
Prop. $9,271.21, Polls $2,687.00	$11,958.21	
Levy of 1944:		
Prop. $21.66, Polls $554.00	575.66	
		12,533.87
Total Assets		$38,764.08
Grand Total.....		$38,764.08

Net Surplus, December 31, 1944.....	$16,898.34
Net Surplus, December 31, 1945.....	6,922.74
Decrease of Surplus.....	$9,975.60

SHEET

December 31, 1945

Liabilities

Accounts Owed by the Town:	
Due to State—Special $3 Poll Taxes:	
Uncollected—due State when collected	$1,983.00
Due to School Districts:	
Dog licenses	700.16
Balance of Appropriation	24,000.00
Long Term Notes Outstanding:	
Bridge Note, so-called, due Aug. 1, 1946, Hillsborough County Savings Bank	3,000.00
Money Appropriated but Unexpended:	
No. Mast St. culvert	1,000.00
Pinardville sewer	122.89
Pinardville streets	377.82
New equipment	657.47
Total Liabilities	$31,841.34
Excess of assets over liabilities (Surplus)	6,922.74
Grand Total	$38,764.08

Town of Goffstown

Receipts

Current Revenue:		
From Local Taxes:		
Property taxes—Current Year	$112,326.65	
Poll taxes—Current Year —Regular at $2	2,872.00	
Poll taxes—Current Year Special at $3	4,539.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes	123.00	
Total of Current Year's taxes collected and remitted		$119,860.65
Property taxes—Previous Years		7,562.39
Poll taxes—Previous Years—Regular at $2		666.00
Poll taxes—Previous Year—Special at $3		1,023.00
Interest received on taxes: Bonus $20.09, Regular $140.52		160.61
Tax sales redeemed: $71.57, cost before sale $32.58		104.15
From State:		
Interest and dividend tax	$3,439.36	
Railroad tax	150.98	
Savings bank tax	1,224.87	
Fighting forest fires: State $711.31, Ploss $26.22	737.53	
Bounties	28.50	
		5,581.24

PAYMENTS

For the Year Ended December 31, 1945

Payments

Current Maintenance Expenses:	
General Government:	
Town officers' salaries	$3,607.30
Town officers' expenses	1,852.46
Election and registration expenses	92.75
Municipal court expenses	300.00
Expenses town hall and other town buildings	1,316.94
Protection of Persons and Property:	
Police department, including care of tramps	1,271.61
Fire department, including forest fires	7,593.12
Bounties	56.50
Damage by dogs	18.20
Health:	
Health department, including hospitals	1,892.16
Vital statistics	84.25
Sewer maintenance	25.30
Highways and Bridges:	
Town Road Aid	1,150.40
Town Maintenance (Summer $14,490.53, Winter $12,846.38)	27,336.91
Street lighting and sprinkling	4,455.00
General Expenses of Highway Department	11,365.14
Libraries:	
Libraries	1,350.00

RECEIPTS AND

From Local Sources, Except Taxes:	
Dog licenses	$815.00
Business licenses and permits: Milk $36.00, Bowling $75.00	111.00
Fines and forfeits, municipal court	88.39
Rent of town property: Hall	58.50
Registration of motor vehicles, 1944 Permits	34.37
Registration of motor vehicles, 1945 Permits	2,624.58
	$3,731.84

Total Current Revenue Receipts... $138,689.88

PAYMENTS (*Continued*)

Public Welfare:	
Old age assistance	3,234.96
Town poor	5,183.04
Patriotic Purposes:	
Memorial Day and Veterans' Associations	75.00
Recreation:	
Parks and playgrounds, including band concerts	242.95
Public Service Enterprises:	
Cemeteries, including hearse hire	1,500.00
Unclassified:	
Damages and legal expenses	21.44
Taxes bought by town: $61.60, Lien Held Prop. $102.23	163.83
Discounts, Abatements and Refunds	9.23

Total Current Maintenance Expenses $74,198.49

RECEIPTS AND

Receipts Other than Current Revenue:	
Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year	$6,500.00
Refunds: OAA $99.00—Welfare $294.40 —Houle Est. $162.45	562.62
Sale of town property acquired by tax deed	175.00
Town Histories	84.00
Sewer Permits	525.00
Tarvia and Gravel sold	774.13
Weare and New Boston, expense Ration Office	122.90
Sidewalks	133.00
Road equipment sold	80.00
Plowing snow	107.00
Junk	2.00
Ration Office equipment	55.30
Total Receipts Other than Current Revenue	$9,120.95
Total Receipts from All Sources	$147,810.83
Cash on hand January 1, 1945	39,166.31
Grand Total	$186,977.14

PAYMENTS *(Concluded)*

Interest:		
Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes.....	$108.34	
Paid on long term notes.....	90.00	
Total Interest Payments.....		198.34
Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements:		
Highways and Bridges—Town construction	$1,622.18	
Sidewalk construction	994.95	
Sewer construction	3,877.11	
Lands and buildings (Other).	1,528.91	
New Equipment (Highway).	7,942.53	
Total Outlay Payments.....		15,965.68
Indebtedness:		
Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes....	$6,500.00	
Payments on long term notes	1,000.00	
Total Indebtedness Payments.....		7,500.00
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:		
Special Poll Taxes at $3 paid to State	$4,712.96	
Taxes paid to County.....	15,840.43	
Payments to School Districts	41,780.97	
Victory Tax $673,90, Defense $321.35	995.25	
Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions		63,329.61
Total Payments for all Purposes....		$161,192.12
Cash on hand December 31, 1945.....		25,785.02
Grand Total		$186,977.14

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Description and Value

Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	$8,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	1,500.00
Libraries, Lands and Buildings	17,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	5,000.00
Police Department, Equipment	300.00
Fire Department, Lands and Buildings	5,000.00
Equipment	14,000.00
Highway Department, Lands and Buildings	3,000.00
Equipment	15,000.00
Materials and Supplies	400.00
Parks, Commons and Playgrounds	4,700.00
Schools, Lands and Buildings	147,000.00
Equipment	9,000.00
All Lands and Buildings acquired through Tax Collector's deeds	9,950.00
Total	$239,850.00

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT FOR 1945

Registering 1,194 cars and trucks.....	$2,658.95
Registering 340 dogs.....	815.00
28 sets Town Histories.....	84.00
1 bowling license (9 mos.).....	75.00
	$3,632.95

Vital Statistics Record

Recording	48	Births
"	45	Deaths
"	30	Marriages
"	14	Non Resident Burials
"	20	Birth Corrections
"	121	Births and 213 Deaths recorded for Hillsborough County Farm and Hospital

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Levy of 1945

Property Taxes Committed to Collector		$122,026.78
Paid to Treasurer	$112,239.91	
Uncollected Dec. 31, 1945	9,271.21	
Abated	515.66	
		$122,026.78
Extra Property Taxes Collected	$86.74	
Paid to Treasurer		$86.74
Poll Taxes Committed to Collector		$4,008.00
Paid to Treasurer	$2,806.00	
Uncollected	1,048.00	
Abated	154.00	
		$4,008.00
Extra Poll Taxes Collected	$66.00	
Paid to Treasurer		$66.00
Special $3.00 Poll Taxes Committed to Collector		$6,300.00
Paid to Treasurer	$4,452.00	
Uncollected	1,641.00	
Abated	207.00	
		$6,300.00
Special Extra $3.00 Poll Taxes Collected	$87.00	
Paid to Treasurer		$87.00
Interest Collected	$6.72	
Paid to Treasurer		$6.72

Bank Stock Taxes Collected.....	$123.00	
Paid to Treasurer.....		$123.00

1944 Levy

Property Taxes Uncollected Dec. 31, 1944...		$7,688.23
Paid to Treasurer.....	$7,480.42	
Uncollected (Service Men).....	21.66	
Abated	186.15	
		$7,688.23
1944 Extra Property Collected...	$67.94	
Paid to Treasurer.....		$67.94
Poll Taxes Uncollected Dec. 31, 1944.....		$916.00
Paid to Treasurer.....	$624.00	
Abated	80.00	
Uncollected	212.00	
		$916.00
Extra Polls Collected.....	$32.00	
Paid to Treasurer.....		$32.00
Special $3.00 Tax Uncollected Dec. 31, 1944.		$1,431.00
Paid to Treasurer.....	$969.00	
Uncollected	342.00	
Abated	120.00	
		$1,431.00
Extra Special $3.00 Polls Collected	$54.00	
Paid to Treasurer.....		$54.00
Balance of 1943 Property Tax Collected	$14.03	
Paid to Treasurer.....		$14.03
Previous Years' Polls Collected...	$10.00	
Paid to Treasurer.....		$10.00

Costs Before Sale Paid to Treasurer.....		$32.58
Interest Paid to Treasurer.....		$153.89
Redemptions:		
Taxes	$60.07	
Interest	1.13	
Costs	10.37	
Paid to Treasurer.....		$71.57

1945 POLL ABATEMENTS

Edward Abel, left town
William Alger, left town
Ida Alger, left town
George C. Aimo, left town
Elli Aimo, left town
Maranda Batten, Veteran's widow
Harry E. Battey, Veteran
John Bourgois, left town
Beatrice Bourgois, left town
Fred Boucher, deceased
Parmalie Brigham, over age
Harold Brenner, left town
Marjorie Brenner, left town
Frank Crowell, deceased
Joseph Cassie, left town
Laura Cassie, left town
Mark Corthell, Veteran
Doris Carle, left town
Erwin Cook, over age
William Clark, pd.in Manchester
Lionel Chaput, in Services
Cassie ———, can't find
William F. Dalgetty, deceased
Charles Dumont, in Services
Albert Desruisseaux, left town
Frances Draper, left town
Raymond Ewart, Veteran
Robert Francoeur, double
Arthur F. Garey, over age
Irene M. Garey, over age
Alphonse Gagne, Veteran
Elzear Guay, over age
Mathilda Gosselin, over age
Delina Gagne, wrong tax
Ruth L. George, in Services
Jennie Grant, over age
Louise Goodwin, left town
Bernice Hall, wrong tax
Maurine House, left town
Arah Harrison, left town
Edith Harrison, left town
John Hanninen, in Services
Edmond A. Hale, over age
John Stevens, deceased
Mary Mingus, deceased
Ernest Varrell, left town
Delphis Porrier, in Manchester
Margaret C. Keener, over age
Mertie B. Marshall, over age
Edna Marden, over age
Maude Munroe, Rumney, N. H.
Clara Munroe, Rumney, N. H.
Margaret Martin, left town
Fred R. Mitchell, over age
June Martin, not 21
William Myers, in Services
Lee McKean, Lisbon, N. H.
Mary McMerney, in Services
George A. Paige, over age
Beulah Putnam, deceased
Mary Poehlman, in Mass.
Loyd Palmer, left town
Lillian Palmer, left town
Gordon S. Phillippy, in Services
Gerard A. Pare, Veteran
Floyd Roke, double
Mrs. Roke, double
Louis Reil, Veteran
Carrie L. Stark, over age
Ernest St. Jean, Jr., double
Mrs. Sweat, S. Danbury, N. H.
Harry L. Sykes, deceased
Phoebe Story, not 21
Maurice Therrien, not 21
Arthur Welch, in Services
Angelina Whitmore, deceased
Forest Worthen, in services

1945 PROPERTY ABATEMENTS

Byron B. and Evelyn H. Hussey, change in valuation	$15.80
Warren H. Marshall, error in tax	.09
Augusta Roy, change in valuation	9.48
Villa Augustina, clergyman's residence	94.80
Edna and Armand Allard, wrong tax	63.20
Leopold and Yvonne Biron, Veteran's exemption	20.54
Leopold and Yvonne Biron, Veteran's exemption	8.85
Joseph F. Bilodeau, Veteran's exemption	31.60
Ernest Chainey, change in valuation	6.32
Joseph H. Cloutier Heirs, change in valuation	25.28
Rosanna Chandonnais, wrong tax	3.16
Joseph Florand, no school tax	29.00
Oscar Favereau, wrong tax	23.70
Wilfred J. and Rose A. Fortin, Veteran's exemption	31.60
William Guillemette, over tax	2.94
Jean Lariviere, change in valuation	31.60
Frances H. Lefebvre, change in valuation	2.52
Victoria Martin, double tax	4.74
Marie Pinard, wrong tax	25.28
Stanley Stelmach, wrong tax	3.16
Henri and Marie Heneault, change in valuation	6.32
Cliffos Boisvert, deeded to Town	3.16
Albina Connelly Heirs, deeded to Town	3.79
Mabel A. Vogel, deeded to Town	3.16
Louise Auger, deeded to Town	3.63
Dennis Blain, double tax	8.53
Ernest Daigle, change in valuation	3.16
Agnes E. Fontaine Heirs, deeded to Town	7.27
Malvina Montplaisir, deeded to Town	3.16
Henry M. Miller, change in valuation	3.79

Henry M. Miller, change in valuation.....	2.21
Antoinette Wheeler, deeded to Town.....	6.32
Antoinette Wheeler, wrong tax.....	11.53
Tide Water Oil Co., over tax, pumps gone..	12.80
Justin E. Burgess, exempt to Boy Scouts.....	3.16

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Town Officers' Salaries

Paid—

Carl B. Pattee, services as Selectman	$678.95
Frank N. Simons, services as Selectman	443.95
Lucien M. Hebert, services as Selectman	555.90
Elizabeth Hutchins, services as Town Clerk	200.00
Elizabeth Hutchins, fees for auto and dog licenses	366.50
William Sym, payment for collecting 1943 and 1945 taxes	800.00
Louis R. Gregg, services as Treasurer	350.00
Benj. F. Greer, Auditor	50.00
Harry F. Colburn, Auditor	50.00
Frank Bartlett, Auditor	50.00
Alfred W. Poore, Moderator	12.00
R. M. Gordon, Supervisor	22.00
Frank Bartlett, Supervisor	14.00
Benj. F. Greer, Supervisor	14.00
	$3,607.30

Town Officers' Expenses

Paid—

Gibbs & Brown Press, Tax Collector's Supplies	$23.50
Chas. C. Hardy, Town Clerks' Asso. Dues	2.00
Harry Parker, office rent	360.00
Asso. N. H. Assessors, dues 1944 and 1945	4.00
Pub. Service Co. of N. H., office lights	25.88
New Eng. Tel. & Tel., office phone	35.60
Lamson Adv. Service, tax notices	3.00
Lamson Adv. Service, Town Reports	350.00
Wade Knowlton, Town Clerk's Bond	5.00

Hills. Co. Reg. of Deeds, recording deeds and furnishing names	62.89
Edson C. Eastman Co., dog tags and licenses	18.44
Edson C. Eastman Co., Town Clerk's supplies	4.50
Edson C. Eastman Co., Selectmen's supplies	33.28
William Sym, cost tax sale	59.42
William Sym, Tax Collector's expenses	58.00
George L. Eaton, Town Officers' Bonds	130.00
Lovell's Press, printing and supplies	52.35
U. S. Treasury, office furniture	281.95
Fred L. Tower Co., 1945 N. H. Register	6.00
Harry S. Parker, shelves for office	4.00
Parker Bros., supplies	.66
Elizabeth Hutchins, stamps and office supplies	60.73
Elizabeth Hutchins, clerical work	200.00
Frank N. Simons, Selectmen's expenses	26.73
Carl B. Pattee, Selectmen's expenses	44.53
	$1,852.46

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Paid—

Uncanoonuc Grange, Town Officers' dinners	$21.00
Bartlett Express, delivering Town Books	8.00
Ethelyn Goodwin, Ballot Clerk	5.50
William F. Parker, Ballot Clerk	5.50
William Sym, Ballot Clerk	5.50
Arthur Cushing, delivering Town Books	7.00
Norton Phelps, Ballot Clerk	5.50
Uncanoonuc Grange, hall rent	18.00
Lovell Press, ballots	16.75
	$92.75

MUNICIPAL COURT

Paid—

Alfred W. Poore, services as Judge of the Goffstown Municipal Court..... $300.00

Annual Report of Municipal Court of Goffstown for Year Ending December 31st, 1945

Receipts

Dec.	30	Cyrus C. Wheeler.....	$29.40
Feb.	7	Robert Beaulieu	19.70
	9	Henry St. Germain.....	14.70
Mar.	10	Donald Worden	14.70
Apr.	1	Leo Bussier	75.40
May	28	Adelard Boisvert	80.20
June	25	Horace C. Alden.....	16.20
July	1	Mary B. Therrien.....	10.70
Aug.	13	Oliver P. Brown.....	7.70
Sept.	10	Leo P. Gervais.....	57.70
	15	Lucien Trahan	17.70
Oct.	6	Henry Bonin	12.70
	15	Henry Bonin	8.00
Nov.	26	Robert Schrepfer	63.40
Dec.	10	Leo A. Carette.....	54.70
		Writs and entry fees.....	3.00
			$485.90

Expenditures

Dec.	30	Fish and Game Department.....	$23.40
Feb.	7	Motor Vehicle Department.....	15.20
	12	Motor Vehicle Department.....	1.70
Mar.	10	Motor Vehicle Department.....	10.70
Apr.	1	Motor Vehicle Department.....	54.00
May	28	Motor Vehicle Department.....	67.50
Aug.	27	Fish and Game Department.....	13.20
Sept.	10	Motor Vehicle Department.....	45.00
	17	Motor Vehicle Department.....	9.00

Nov. 26	Motor Vehicle Department.....	45.00
Dec. 4	Granite State Press.....	15.00
10	Fish and Game Department.....	51.70
15	John L. Putnam, fees.....	40.50
	Bank service charges.....	4.61
	Stamps	1.00
		$397.51
	Balance to Town of Goffstown....	88.39
		$485.90

ALFRED W. POORE,
Justice.

TOWN BUILDINGS

Paid—

Public Service Co. of N. H., lights, Grasmere, N. H.	$33.52
Walter A. Miles, janitor, Grasmere, N. H.....	60.00
Arthur Barnard, fire expenditure.....	17.20
Walter A. Miles, supplies.....	1.80
Benj. F. Greer, wood.....	19.50
George L. Eaton, insurance, Town Shed.....	17.28
Lyons Iron Works, Hall fire escape.....	807.94
Jean Lariviere, erecting fire escape.....	350.00
George L. Eaton, insurance, Hall.....	7.70
Alfred Osborne, surveying.....	2.00
	$1,316.94

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Paid—

R. M. Gordon, Health Officer.....	$65.72
Leo Laverdure, collecting garbage.....	999.96
Arthur Cushing, care of dump.....	520.00

Edmond Baron, care of dump	300.00
Parker Bros., supplies	.48
Alfred Osborne, surveying	6.00
	$1,892.16

BOUNTIES

Paid—

Carl B. Pattee, cash paid for porcupines	$56.50

DAMAGE BY DOGS

Paid—

Wilfred Oliver, damage to fowl	$18.20

VITAL STATISTICS

Paid—

Elizabeth Hutchins, recording vital statistics	$78.50
Ministers and Doctors, returning births, deaths and marriages	5.75
	$84.25

SEWER MAINTENANCE

Paid—

George Ordway, work on sewer	$10.80
H. W. Hood, work on sewer	14.50
	$25.30

FIRES

Expenses

Paid—

City of Manchester, hydrant service	$735.00
Goffstown Fire Precinct, hydrant service	2,000.00
Pub. Service Co., lights	89.08
New Eng. Tel. & Tel., phone	2.60
Putnam & Son, coal and supplies	259.51
Ernest W. Fletcher, gas and supplies	121.95
Carl B. Pattee, forest fires	1,498.55
Carl B. Pattee, insurance	11.60

Carl B. Pattee, shoveling, Fire Station.....	11.00
Harold Hood, laborer and supplies.....	23.93
E. W. Glines, repairing roof.....	34.63
George L. Eaton, insurance, fire trucks.....	144.60
Casellini-Venable Corp., flood lights.....	6.70
Wade H. Knowlton, insurance.....	22.00
H. Allen Brown, labor and supplies.....	5.90
Eureka Fire Hose Co., fire hose.....	649.25
American LaFrance Co., fire hose.....	176.40
Myron R. Small, janitor.....	100.00
Archie's Garage, supplies.....	1.81
Goffstown Motor Mart, labor.....	57.76
Earl M. Corning, labor.....	4.38
N. H. St. Fireman's Assn., dues.....	5.00
N. H. St. Fireman's Retirement Fund, insurance	135.00
J. A. Lachance, supplies.....	4.00
Firemen's and Wardens' salary and pay.....	1,484.47
Arthur Barnard, fire equipment.....	8.00
	$7,593.12

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Police

Paid—

John L. Putnam, services as police.....	$559.25
Earl Dubois, services as police.....	227.85
James Rogers, services as police.....	126.46
E. Frank White, services as police.....	56.55
Walter Miles, services as police.....	13.00
Carlton Prescott police work.....	3.25
Chas. M. Floyd Co., coats and caps.....	282.75
George F. Jones, use of car.....	2.50
	$1,271.61

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES
Town Maintenance

ACCOUNT OF HORACE L. SHIRLEY, ROAD AGENT

Total Amount Spent..... $27,336.91

Selectmen's Orders Received

January 6, 1945	$456.29
January 6	420.02
January 12	378.20
January 12	445.50
January 20	756.10
January 20	781.60
January 27	541.64
January 27	449.11
February 3	842.73
February 3	893.76
February 9	962.26
February 9	667.99
February 17	382.55
February 17	425.40
February 24	477.02
February 24	437.20
March 3	247.94
March 3	306.48
March 9	274.85
March 9	358.43
March 16	257.92
March 16	327.66
March 23	336.51
March 30	485.21
April 6	563.09
April 13	362.39

April 21	489.36
April 27	403.53
May 5	386.71
May 11	466.75
May 18	372.08
May 25	410.72
June 1	230.83
June 7	367.55
June 15	355.19
June 22	176.16
June 29	86.02
July 6	106.01
July 13	81.06
July 20	355.98
July 27	220.70
August 3	157.78
August 10	168.46
August 17	330.55
August 24	398.37
August 31	498.83
September 7	597.51
September 15	1,112.79
September 21	726.67
September 27	692.87
October 5	298.75
October 12	403.37
October 19	434.03
October 24	282.27
November 2	436.09
November 9	184.68
November 16	171.32
November 23	141.95
November 30	922.61
December 7	600.28
December 14	177.32
December 21	603.08
December 28	588.70
December 31	262.13
	$27,336.91

VICTORY TAX

Paid—

Collector Internal Revenue, Victory Tax....	$673.90

Special Appropriation

NEW STREETS AT PINARDVILLE

Total Cost	$1,622.18

Selectmen's Orders Received

November 9, 1945	$124.27
November 30	307.87
December 7	430.34
December 14	683.70
December 21	76.00
	$1,622.18

Paid—

Public Service Co. of N. H., street lights.....	$4,455.00

GENERAL HIGHWAY

Paid—

Pilgrim Service Sta., gas.....	$18.79
Marshall's Garage, gas and oil.....	45.56
H. W. Hood, ploughing sidewalks	200.50
H. W. Hood, labor on tractor.....	2.00
Goffstown Village Fire Precinct, water.....	100.00
Bartlett's Express, trucking.....	2.46
Murray McKay, painting signs.....	10.50
A. M. Jenks & Son, labor.....	22.95
The Barrett Division, tarvia.....	8,924.35
Parker Bros., supplies.....	1.60
State of New Hampshire, signs.....	5.00
A. K. Hambleton, insurance on grader.....	30.00
Dr. Herman Reiner, attendance of employee.	11.00
West Side Lumber Co., bridge plank.....	759.94
Casellini-Venable Corp., repair of tractor....	1,069.54
State of New Hampshire, road tax.....	5.78
Carl B. Pattee, insurance on tractors.....	147.17
Arthur Cushing, shoveling.....	8.00
	$11,365.14

T.R.A.

Paid—

State of New Hampshire.....	$1,150.40

LIBRARY

Paid—

Ruth Gagnon, Treasurer.....	$1,350.00

CHARITIES

Cost of Town for Direct Relief.....		$5,183.04
Total expenses of Old Age Assistance from January 1, 1945 to January 1, 1946.....	$12,939.84	
Twenty-five percent paid by Town to State..		3,234.96
Total cost, Relief plus Old Age Assistance..		$8,418.00

PATRIOTIC PURPOSES

Paid—

F. Arthur Bartlett, money for Memorial Day.	$75.00

PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS

Paid—

Robert L. Stark, Playground.....	$150.00
Marshall French, care of Commons.....	68.95
David E. Paige, care of Commons, Grasmere.	15.00
L. R. Gregg, repair of mower.....	9.00
	$242.95

DAMAGE AND LEGAL EXPENSES

Paid—

State of New Hampshire, Estate Tax.....	$21.44

TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN

Paid—

William Sym, Collector, taxes on property bought by Town.....	$61.60
William Sym, Collector, taxes on lien property	102.23
	$163.83

CEMETERIES

Paid—

L. R. Gregg, Treasurer.....	$1,500.00

REFUND ON TAXES

Paid—

Harold G. Blood	$4.49
Harold G. Blood	4.74
	$9.23

INTEREST ON SHORT TERM NOTES

Paid—

Dec. 31, 1945	Trustee of Trust Funds, interest on note	$108.34

INTEREST ON LONG TERM NOTES

Paid—

Aug. 1, 1945	Hillsborough County Savings Bank, interest on Bridge Note to Aug. 1, 1945	90.00

LONG TERM NOTE

Paid—

Aug. 1, 1945	Hillsborough County Savings Bank on Bridge Note	$1,000.00

SHORT TERM NOTES

Dec. 31, 1945	Trustee of Trust Funds	$6,500.00

PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS

Paid—

William E. Blaisdell, Treasurer, Village Precinct	$2,000.00

(Included under Fire Report)

STATE TREASURER

Paid—

State Treasurer, Special Poll Tax	$4,712.96

COUNTY TAX

Paid—

Nov. 21, 1945	County Treasurer, County Tax	$15,840.43

EXPENSES INCURRED IN DEFENSE WORK

Paid—

Public Service Co., lights	$19.40
Putnam & Son, coal	83.04
George Williams, janitor	75.00
E. Frank White, janitor	30.00
B. H. Wheeler, wood	8.00
Clayton Nettleton, return insurance premium	37.24
Uncanoonuc Grange, rent of Hall	13.00
Congregational Church, use of Vestry	38.00
A. Kenneth Hambleton, supplies for Control Center	17.67
	$321.35

SIDEWALK CONSTRUCTION

Paid—

Robie Construction Co., repair of sidewalks	$994.95

SEWER CONSTRUCTION

Paid—

Construction of Pinardville Sewer	$3,877.11

LAND AND BUILDINGS

Paid—

Cost and labor of Town Shed	$1,528.91

NEW EQUIPMENT

Paid—

Charles Gutterson, road machine	$85.00
Caselini-Venable Corp., highway grader	7,085.00
Caselini-Venable Corp., freight on grader	175.20
Caselini-Venable Corp., snow plough for grader	597.33
	$7,942.53

TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT

Paid—

Ruth B. Gagnon, Treasurer	$41,780.97
Balance due School District January 1946	24,000.00
Dog licenses	700.16
	$66,481.13

Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Goffstown on December 31, 1945

Date of Creation	TRUST FUNDS— PURPOSE OF CREATION	HOW INVESTED	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income on Hand at Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
1910	Library Fund, Charles S. and Henry W. Parker	Amoskeag Savings Bank	$3,745.17	2%	.....	$75.27	$75.27	.....
	School Fund originated from Masonian proprietors	Manchester Savings Bank	350.00	2½%	$239.50	14.81	.....	$254.31
1897	Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank Hillsborough County Savings Bank Manchester Savings Bank New Hampshire Savings Bank Merchants National Bank	32,179.62 925.00 33,104.62	2% 2½%	760.88	696.07	500.00	956.95
	Parsonage Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	800.00	2%	.....	16.08	16.08	.....
1928	Y. L. D. Fund, for Pattee Common	Manchester Savings Bank	25.00	2½%	18.88	1.09	.....	19.97
1942	Town Hall Insurance Fund	Hillsborough County Savings Bank 10,000.00 in Government "G" Bond	16,500.00	2½%	743.67	406.89	.....	1,150.56
1932	Library Fund, E. W. and E. J. Goodwin, Charles Tibbetts, James Haselton	Hillsborough County Savings Bank	872.90	2%	.....	17.44	17.44	.....
1933	T. R. Butterfield Cemetery and Library Fund	Manchester Savings Bank	2,000.00	2½%	.....	50.31	50.31	.....
			$57,397.69		$1,762.93	$1,277.96	$659.10	$2,381.79

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

FRANK A. PARKER,
WILLIAM R. EATON,
Trustees.

Certificate

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from the official records of the Town and is complete and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

LUCIEN M. HEBERT,
FRANK N. SIMONS,
CARL B. PATTEE,
Selectmen of Goffstown.
LOUIS R. GREGG,
Treasurer.
ELIZABETH HUTCHINS,
Town Clerk.

AUDITORS' REPORT

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Town Clerk, Tax Collector, Trustees of Trust Funds, Road Agents, Treasurer of the Library Trustees, Treasurer of Barnard Playground Commission, Treasurer of Goffstown Village Water Department, and Fire Precinct, for the year ending December 31, 1945 and find the vouchers satisfactory and footings correct.

HARRY F. COLBURN,
BENJAMIN F. GREER,
FRANK W. BARTLETT,
Town Auditors.

REPORT OF TRUSTEES
GOFFSTOWN PUBLIC LIBRARY

The heavy snows of early 1945 caused a leak in the roof of the library building and in addition the roof over the basement door rotted away. Repairs necessitated thereby constituted the principal item of repair expenses during the past year.

When the Air Raid Warning Service was discontinued soon after V-J Day, the officials of that organization removed all their property from the south basement room which had been used as their headquarters during the war. After this was completed, all town property not belonging to the library was moved into that room. This left the north basement room free for the storage of obsolete and seldom-used books which are shelved there where they may be consulted if desired.

On December 14 the use of the children's room was granted to Drs. Backus and Reiner for a toxoid clinic for pre-school and primary school children. The doctors were assisted by Miss Edith Walker, school nurse, Mrs. Claire Hamilton of the State Health Board and Mrs. Grace Gage, R.N., of this town, and more than 40 children were inoculated.

The treasurer's report lists the annual gift from the Shirley Club for the purchase of children's books while the usual number of volumes have been purchased with the income from trust funds as well as from the general appropriation. At Grasmere, Mrs. Ploss generously offered the use of her home for the weekly delivery of books when conditions at the school building made it inconvenient to continue there.

On Saturday afternoon, December 22, the library was closed during the funeral of Miss Mary A. Warren, a 20-year member of the Board of Trustees. Always interested

in the welfare of the town, and especially its young people, Miss Warren had been a valuable member of the library family and we who were privileged to work with her felt her loss keenly.

HARRY F. COLBURN,
RUTH B. LUSCOMBE,
MARGARET S. SMITH,
CHARLES P. PAIGE,
RAYMOND C. GREER,
RUTH B. GAGNON,
Board of Trustees.

REPORT OF LIBRARIAN

Cash on hand January 1, 1945	$1.92
Received:	
From fines, cards, and requests	113.43
For books and magazines lost and damaged	3.55
For non resident's deposit	2.00
For old books and papers	2.35
	$123.25
Paid:	
Treasurer	$65.00
For supplies, postage, etc.	44.61
Non-resident's deposit returned	2.00
Cash on hand January 1, 1946	11.64
	$123.25
Number of registrations during year	543
Days open for circulation	149
Total circulation for the year	11,880
Per cent of issues that were magazines	7
Per cent of issues that were non-fiction	21
Total circulation at Grasmere	1,222
Number of volumes added during the year	255
Number of volumes mended during the year	380
Number of volumes rebound during the year	19
Number of volumes discarded during the year	97

LOUISE E. MARDEN,
Librarian.

REPORT OF TREASURER
GOFFSTOWN PUBLIC LIBRARY

Received from:	
Former treasurer, January 1, 1945	$349.69
Town of Goffstown	1,350.00
Shirley Club, gift for purchase of books	20.00
Librarian, fines	65.00
Income from trust funds	131.68
	$1,916.37
Paid for:	
Salaries of librarian and assistants	$539.00
Janitor's services	114.99
Books and periodicals	380.24
Rebinding	4.51
Fuel	199.42
Electricity	68.80
Insurance	93.99
Express on books to Grasmere	45.75
Repairs on roof	62.68
Miscellaneous repairs and expenses	23.25
Cash on hand, January 1, 1946	383.74
	$1,916.37

RUTH B. GAGNON,
Treasurer.

REPORT OF GOFFSTOWN VILLAGE FIRE PRECINCT

Fire Wardens

and

Water Commissioners

RECORD OF ANNUAL PRECINCT MEETING

Annual Meeting of the Goffstown Village Fire Precinct Water Department held in Fire Station Hall, April 3rd, 1945.

Meeting called to order by the Moderator, Harry F. Colburn, at 8:05 P.M. Warrant was read by the Clerk, Carl B. Pattee.

ARTICLE 1. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Moderator—Harry F. Colburn
Clerk—Carl B. Pattee
Auditors—Harry F. Colburn, B. F. Greer, Frank W. Bartlett

ART. 2.

Water Commissioner for Five Years—Robert M. Gordon
Water Commissioner for Two Years—Fred Parker

ART. 3. Voted to allow the Board of Water Commissioners to hire money not in excess of Three Hundred Dollars ($300.00) due to any emergency.

ART. 4. Voted to accept the reports of the Officers as printed in the Town Report.

ART. 5. Voted that beginning January 1st, 1946 the Precinct charge the Town of Goffstown the sum of Thirty-Five Dollars ($35.00) per hydrant per year.

There being no further business, it was voted to adjourn at 8:45 P.M.

CARL B. PATTEE, *Clerk.*

COLLECTOR'S REPORT FOR WATER DEPARTMENT, 1945

VILLAGE FIRE PRECINCT

Total collections for year ending January 1, 1946	$5,059.42
Cash Paid William E. Blaisdell	
February 3, 1945	$1,319.44
March 9, 1945	764.79
April 17, 1945	227.97
August 2, 1945	185.66
August 3, 1945	1,448.19
September 29, 1945	770.48
December 29, 1945	342.89
	$5,059.42

CARL B. PATTEE,
Collector.

WATER DEPARTMENT OF GOFFSTOWN VILLAGE FIRE PRECINCT

WILLIAM E. BLAISDELL, Treasurer

Receipts

1945			
Jan.		From former Treasurer.....	$1,018.80
Feb.	3	Carl B. Pattee, Collector.....	1,319.44
Mar.	10	Carl B. Pattee, Collector.....	764.79
Apr.	17	Carl B. Pattee, Collector.....	227.97
	20	R. M. Gordon, wood.....	9.00
	28	A. M. Jenks & Son, pipe.....	4.80
Aug.	2	Carl B. Pattee, Collector.....	185.66
	2	Carl B. Pattee, Collector.....	1,448.19
Sept.	29	Carl B. Pattee, Collector.....	770.48
Dec.	17	Town of Goffstown, hydrant service	2,000.00
	29	Carl B. Pattee, Collector.....	342.89
		Richard W. Brown, rent and posts.	153.05
		Robert I. McDougall, wood.....	798.75
			$9,043.82

Our debt to the Manchester Savings Bank is now twenty thousand seven hundred dollars ($20,700.00) to be paid in equal payments of twenty-three hundred dollars each.

Expenditures

Manchester Savings Bank, note	$2,300.00
Manchester Savings Bank, interest	764.75
Neptune Meter Co., meters and repairs	235.00
Geo. E. Trudel Co., supplies	48.42
Red Hed Mfg. Co., supplies	18.52
A. M. Jenks and Son, operation and repairs	972.84
H. W. Hood, labor	69.60
Philip H. Burnham, thawing machine and labor	29.00
Manchester Machine Works, labor on pump	12.24
Union Welding Co., thawing pipes	29.00
John E. Rich, preparing State reports	22.50
Carl B. Pattee, bonds	25.00
Emile Perusse, labor	4.20
Roy Whipple, labor	11.00
John Fletcher, labor	10.00
Anson Wallace, labor	8.00
New Hampshire Water Works Assn., dues	10.00
Carl B. Pattee, salary and supplies	277.90
William E. Blaisdell, salary and supplies	20.95
Water Board, attending meetings	4.00
Chopping wood	1,688.39
	$6,561.31
Cash on hand	2,482.51
	$9,043.82

FINANCIAL REPORT

GOFFSTOWN VILLAGE FIRE PRECINCT
BALANCE SHEET

Assets

General fund	$2,482.51
Uncollected water rents	232.71
Total Assets	$2,715.22
Excess of Liabilities over Assets (Net Debt)	17,984.78
Grand Total	$20,700.00

Liabilities

Notes outstanding	$20,700.00
Total Liabilities	$20,700.00
Grand Total	$20,700.00

RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS

Receipts

Current Revenue:	
From Taxes	$2,100.00
From Other Sources:	
Water Rents	4,959.42
Receipts Other Than Current Revenue:	
Sale of wood	965.60
Total Receipts from All Sources	$8,025.02
Cash on hand at beginning of year	1,018.80
Grand Total	$9,043.82

Payments

Current Maintenance Expenses:		
Source of supply	$193.81	
Repairs to mains	270.87	
Repairs to services	201.44	
Repairs to hydrants	39.95	
Repairs to meters	83.82	
Commercial expense	301.35	
General expense	59.00	
Cutting wood	1,688.39	
Total Current Maintenance Expenses		$2,838.63
Interest paid		764.75
Outlay, New Construction and Equipment:		
Distribution mains	$133.60	
Services	276.28	
Meters	227.64	
Other equipment	20.41	
Total Outlay Payments		657.93
Indebtedness:		
Payment on Notes	$2,300.00	
Total Indebtedness Payments		2,300.00
Total Payments for All Purposes		$6,561.31
Cash on hand at end of year		2,482.51
Grand Total		$9,043.82

SCHEDULE OF PRECINCT PROPERTY

Description and Value

Lands and Buildings:	
Water Supply land	$5,203.13
Water Supply equipment	45,953.61
Distribution mains	46,277.05
Services	12,753.99
Hydrants	3,844.55
Furniture and Apparatus:	
Meters	6,118.06
Other equipment	155.92
Total Valuation	$120,306.31

Certificate

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

WILLIAM E. BLAISDELL,
Treasurer.

January 18, 1946

REPORT OF THE BARNARD PLAYGROUND ACCOUNT

Receipts

1945			
Jan.	1	Manchester Savings Bank	$96.40
		Petty Cash	12.96
		Appropriations	150.00
			$259.36

Expenditures

April	13	J. B. Varick—Flag	5.75
May	17	Manchester Rubber Co., bases.....	9.00
July	23	A. M. Jenks & Son, labor Turning on water	4.50
Aug.	11	Marshall French, labor	24.26
	13	P. A. Lanoie, labor and pipe material	19.80
	21	J. B. Varick, tennis tape.....	6.00
Sept.	27	J. A. Lachance, repair of equipment	26.50
Oct.	26	J. B. Varick, paint	33.55
	26	Bartlett's Express	.41
Nov.	27	A. M. Jenks, shutting off water....	3.00
	27	A. L. Auricchio, mowing ball diamond	12.00
			$144.77
Dec.	31	Manchester Savings Bank	$96.40
		Cash on Hand	18.19
			$259.36

ROBERT L. STARK,
Treasurer.

REPORT OF CEMETERIES
1945

Receipts

Cash on hand	$0.19	
Sale of lots	287.50	
Care of lots	54.50	
Town appropriation	1,500.00	
Interest invested funds	500.00	
Repair of mower	9.00	
Butterfield Fund	25.16	
Sale of grave liners	329.00	
Use of equipment	140.00	
		$2,845.35

Expenses

Deficit of 1944		145.00

Westlawn Cemetery
Marshall French, Supt.

Labor	$1,047.70	
Miscellaneous expenses	184.73	
Equipment repair	93.91	
Flowers Goodwin lot	6.10	
Bank expenses	7.50	
		1,339.94

Hillside Cemetery
Walter A. Miles, Supt.

Labor	$655.00	
Expenses	58.73	
		$713.73

Shirley Hill Cemetery
James A. Shirley, Supt.

Labor	$55.20	
		55.20

General Expenses

Grave liners	$480.40	
Expense, general	8.09	
		488.49
		$2,742.36
Cash on hand.....		102.99
Grave liners, $150.00		
		$2,845.35

LOUIS R. GREGG,
Treasurer.

PERPETUAL CARE FUNDS FOR CEMETERIES
1945

Laura Silver	$25.00
Austin W. Story	50.00
Murray McKay	10.00
Adeline V. Conn	100.00
Lawson Smith	15.00
Mache Weeks	25.00
Ira M. Waite	150.00
F. E. and H. H. Humphrey	25.00
Etta Seeton	25.00
Maude Carlton	50.00
Lillian Hartigan	25.00
Addie Merrill	50.00
Rachel McCleary	50.00
Mary Yonker	50.00
Walter A. Miles	25.00
Sarah W. Smith	50.00
Martha A. Schricker	25.00
John E. Richards Est.	25.00
Josephine Beard Est.	50.00
Heath Watson	75.00
W. D. Paine	25.00
	$925.00

LOUIS R. GREGG,
Treasurer.

SCHOOL WARRANT

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Goffstown qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the High School Auditorium in said district on the 16th day of March, 1946, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.

2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

3. To choose a member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the District.

6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or officers heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this Warrant.

8. To see if the District will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the District, as determined by the School Board in its annual report.

9. To see if the School District will vote to construct and equip an auditorium as an addition to the High School building.

10. To see if the District will vote to authorize the School Board to execute any and all contracts or agreements necessary, proper and advisable in connection with the construction of and equipment for such an auditorium, and other alterations to the school building.

11. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise and appropriate for the construction of and equipment for such an auditorium, and in order to furnish such funds, to authorize the School Board to issue bonds and notes, maturing not longer than 20 years from date of issue, in accordance with the provisions of the Municipal Bond Act, New Hampshire Revised Laws 1942, Chapter 72.

12. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Goffstown this 25th day of February, 1946.

WILLIAM R. EATON,
RUTH B. LUSCOMBE,
ALBERT J. LAMOTHE,
School Board.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

WILLIAM R. EATON,
RUTH B. LUSCOMBE,
ALBERT J. LAMOTHE,
School Board.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School District of Goffstown:

I hereby submit my annual report as your superintendent of schools.

The opening of school in September found several changes in our teaching staff. In the elementary schools Miss Ruth Jones, who had taught at both the Grasmere and White Schools, resigned to accept a position in Manchester. Miss Natalie Hopkins moved to Hooksett, and Miss Lucy Jacobs left the Shirley Hill School. To replace these teachers we secured Mrs. Una G. McKee, who had taught several years in West Stewartston, Miss Norma Luby, previously two years in the Bow schools, and Miss Marion Nelson, who had taught a similar period in the schools of Merrimack.

In the High School we had two vacancies to fill. Miss Marion Lathe, for several years head of the English Department, resigned to be married, and Mr. Frank Thompson, who had taught mathematics and chemistry, also resigned. These teachers were replaced by Mrs. Avis M. Colby, an experienced teacher from Meredith and Littleton, and Mr. William Picerillo, previously at Farmington. One additional teacher was added to the staff,—Mrs. Helen H. Scott, who had taught a number of years in Connecticut. It was the feeling of the School Board and Superintendent that it would be advisable to employ a teacher whose primary interest and function should be in the work of the seventh and eighth grade. For several years previous to this one, the subjects of these grades had been handled by the high school teachers. I am glad to report that the work of the so-called Junior High School is being carried on in a far more satisfactory manner than was true during the past few years.

I should like to concern the major part of this annual

report with a consideration of the present crowded condition at the White Building, together with probable developments in the High School Building. It is obvious that the School District is faced with a vitally important problem,—one which demands careful consideration and planning on the part of all of us. It is an educational and economic problem. Not only is it important for any community to provide adequate facilities for the education of its youth, but it is also economically an asset for a community to provide good schools for potential residents of our town.

During the present school year the enrollment in the White Building has increased considerably over the numbers of a year ago. At the present time we have 126 youngsters in the three rooms,—44 in Grades 1-2, 36 in Grades 3-4, and 46 in Grades5-6. (The ideal numbers of pupils in these rooms, determined by the size and shape of the rooms, is 35, 28, and 30 respectively.) Our probable numbers in these rooms next year will approximate 42. It is obvious that we must provide an additional room to take care of the increased numbers of pupils.

A year from this coming fall we will face a similar situation in Grades 7-8. There will be enrolled in those grades about 53 youngsters, which will necessitate the separating of Grades 7-8 into two rooms. All of the above figures are based on children now in our schools, with no allowance for others that may enter from outside sources.

Among the other problems facing us during the next few years are—

1. *A new location for the school shop:* Now located over the two lower grade rooms in the White Building, the rumble and noise created by the machines is a constantly disturbing factor to the grade teachers.

2. *Increased facilities for physical education:* The school curriculum of the near future is going to demand that our schools provide an adequate physical education

and health program for all youngsters. Our present plant is not equipped to offer such a program. Increased toilet facilities, added showers, lockers, etc. should be provided.

3. *A noon lunch program:* At the present time we have no space nor equipment for such a program. Some 130 pupils remain at the school during the noon-lunch period. From a standpoint of proper health direction, they should be provided the opportunity for a warm and properly prepared lunch. Not only would such a program provide a suitable lunch, but it could be provided at an economical cost to the pupil.

4. *A school auditorium:* We now have no suitable school auditorium. The present hall on the second floor does not meet the needs of the school for activities such as dramatics, musicals, and school graduations. Such a hall for the use of the Town of Goffstown has long been needed and should be provided.

An attempt to offer solutions for the above problems is not an easy one. In the mind of the writer two courses might be followed, both of them calling for additions to the present high school building.

1. An addition of two rooms to the present wing of the high school would provide space to alleviate the crowded conditions in the White Building, and the anticipated enrollment in Grades 7-8 a year from this fall. Such an addition would not provide for the solution of the remainder of our problems mentioned above.

2. The construction of an auditorium, attached to the high school, would undoubtedly solve the present major problems. With such an addition we could convert our present assembly hall into two classrooms, and in that manner allow for our expansion in the elementary grades. The building of an auditorium would also provide ample space in the basement for our school shop, for locker and shower rooms for physical education. If such an addition were made, we could convert our present gymnasium into a noon-lunch room.

I realize that the costs of such an auditorium are great, but I feel that the demands for such a hall and the use made of it by the school and by the community warrant our profound consideration of the project at this time. Although building costs are considerably higher than they were ten years ago, much of the added expense will be offset by lower finance charges possible at this time, and in the interim we will have had added years of usefulness for the various purposes outlined above.

Respectfully submitted,

LEWIS F. FOOTE,
Superintendent of Schools.

ENROLLMENT STATISTICS—1944-45

SCHOOL	GRADES	Total Enrollment	Average Membership	Average Attendance	Per Cent Attendance	Tardiness Per Pupil
High	9-12	133	121.54	115.33	94.89	2.46
Jr. High	*7-8	34	28.70	27.23	94.89	2.75
White	5-6	36	32.50	31.03	95.48	.71
White	3-4	39	36.00	33.82	93.94	.56
White	1-2	43	37.16	33.90	91.23	.40
Bartlett	5-8	28	23.27	21.27	91.41	2.62
Bartlett	1-4	35	26.20	23.72	90.53	1.30
Grasmere	6-8	28	23.73	22.49	94.78	.04
Grasmere	4-5	25	16.96	15.88	93.62	.88
Grasmere	1-3	32	26.92	24.85	92.32	1.49
Shirley Hill	1-6	23	20.72	19.73	95.24	.97
TOTALS		456	393.70	369.26	93.79	1.54

* Includes Shirley Hill Grades 7-8 transferred to Village November 27, 1944.

TOTAL ENROLLMENT—1941 to 1946

SCHOOL	GRADES	1941-42	1942-43	1943-44	1944-45	1945-46
High	9-12	193	170	137	133	112
Junior High	7-8	44	30	36	34	35
Total High	7-12	237	200	173	167	147
White	5-6	34	29	34	36	46
White	3-4	28	24	41	39	36
White	1-2	42	41	36	43	44
Total White	1-6	104	94	111	118	126
Bartlett	5-8	53	45	28	28	27
Bartlett	1-4	29	26	23	35	26
Total Bartlett	1-8	82	71	51	63	53
Grasmere	6-8	*27	*24	*24	28	19
Grasmere	4-5	*16	* 7	*10	25	21
Grasmere	1-3	*22	*26	*34	32	30
Total Grasmere	1-8	65	57	68	85	70
Shirley Hill	1-6	23	23	34	23	24
Other Schools	1-8	17	17	..	..	..
GRAND TOTAL	1-12	528	462	437	456	420

* Indicates two rooms in operation.

TEACHING STAFF — 1945-1946

High School

Robert D. Bailey.....Headmaster
Avis M. Colby.....English
Robert P. Ham.....Shop
Elizabeth D. Marden.....Commerce
William Picerillo.....Mathematics—Science
Helen H. Scott.....Junior High
Eleanor F. Strobel.....Home Economics
Ralph E. Worthington.....Social Studies
Marion C. Zeller.....Languages

Elementary Schools

Dorothy R. Chatterton.....White, Grades 5-6
Esther B. Chase.....White, Grades 3-4
Marion Nelson .....White, Grades 1-2
Florence E. Wakefield.....Bartlett, Grades 5-8
Georgia F. Carpenter.....Bartlett, Grades 1-4
Viola A. Spaulding.....Grasmere, Grades 6-8
Norma M. Luby.....Grasmere, Grades 4-5
Ida Lake .....Grasmere, Grades 1-3
Una G. McKee.....Shirley Hill, Grades 1-6

Supervisors

Katherine Bartlett .....Music
Edith G. Walker.....Nurse

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL NURSE

The school nurse submits the following report for the school year September, 1944 through December, 1945.

At the Village School about 270 pupils were examined. Dr. Backus examined the children at the White building, and Dr. Reiner examined the high school pupils, giving special attention to those who wished to play basket ball. At the Bartlett, Grasmere, and Shirley Hill schools Dr. Reiner examined about 150 children, and the parents were contacted or notified of any defects found.

The following report shows the number of pupils affected during the school year:

Defective vision 46. Number of defects corrected 42.
Defective teeth 350. Number of defects corrected 280.
Diseased tonsils 45. Number of defects corrected 28.
Four children had appendectomies.
Two children had scarlet fever in the Spring of 1945.
Twenty-three children had chicken pox during the Fall and Winter.
Four children have had whooping cough.
One child had pneumonia.
One child had poliomyelitis.
There was one orthopedic case.
Six children were accompanied to the school physician's office.
One boy was taken to the County Hospital for treatment.
One girl was taken to the County Hospital for a complete blood test.

An audiometer test was given April 17-20, and another on May 14, 1945. This test is to determine how well a child can hear.

A toxoid clinic was held at the Goffstown Library December, 1945. Forty school children, and five pre-school children received the treatment. I would like to thank the Trustees at this time for their kindness in allowing us to use the library for our clinic. At the Bartlett, Grasmere, and Shirley Hill Schools over fifty children were treated. Our second clinic will be held the first of January.

In view of the increased number of cases of diphtheria in the country the State Department of Health and the State Board of Education are combining their efforts to prevent, as far as possible, any spread of diphtheria by an intensive program of diphtheria immunization by establishing clinics which will reach every community.

Those children through the fourth grade who have had one treatment are advised to have the second one, and babies at the age of six months and over should be protected by this procedure of immunization.

The Patch Test, a test for tuberculosis, is to be given to high school pupils this Spring.

92 home visits were made during the school year.

EDITH G. WALKER,
School Nurse.

FINANCIAL REPORT

GOFFSTOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT

Fiscal Year July 1, 1944 to June 30, 1945

Receipts

State and Federal Aid:		
Federal—Vocational Educ.		$728.23
Income from Local Taxation:		
1944-45 Appropriation	$39,200.00	
1943-44 Appropriation, balance	1,500.00	
		40,700.00
Sources Other Than Taxation:		
Dog Licenses	$650.97	
Elementary Tuitions	36.00	
High School Tuitions	308.33	
Other Receipts	414.45	
		1,409.75
Total Receipts—All Sources		$42,837.98
Cash on Hand, July 1, 1944		2,193.51
Grand Total		$45,031.49

Payments

Administration:		
Salaries of District Officers	$270.00	
Superintendent's Excess Salary	566.41	
Truant Officers and School Census	85.00	
Expenses of Administration	379.53	
		$1,300.94
Instruction:		
Principals' and Teachers' Salaries	$24,671.82	
Textbooks	652.86	
Scholars' Supplies	1,021.38	
Flags and Appurtenances	138.69	
Other Expenses of Instruction	109.24	
		26,593.99

Operation and Maintenance of School Plant:		
Janitor Service	$1,951.11	
Fuel	1,418.86	
Water, Lights, Janitor Supplies	946.22	
Minor Repairs and Expenses	2,648.42	
		6,964.61
Auxiliary Agencies and Special Activities:		
Medical Inspection and Health Supervision	$820.39	
Transportation of Pupils	3,336.65	
High School Tuitions	160.00	
Elementary School Tuitions	180.00	
Other Special Activities	25.00	
		4,522.04
Fixed Charges:		
Tax for State Wide Supervision	$938.00	
Insurance and Other Fixed Charges	627.53	
		1,565.53
Outlay for Construction and Equipment:		
Lands and New Buildings	$1,015.00	
New Equipment	182.94	
		1,197.94
Debts, Interest and Other Charges:		
Payments of Principal of Debt	$2,750.00	
Payments of Interest on Debt	61.87	
		2,811.87
Total Payments for All Purposes		$44,956.92
Cash on Hand, June 30, 1944		74.57
Grand Total		$45,031.49

BALANCE SHEET

Assets, June 30, 1945

Cash on Hand:	
Balance June 30, 1945	$74.57
Accounts Due to District:	
From Town or City	00.00
Total Assets	$74.57

Liabilities

Notes Outstanding	$00.00
Excess Assets Over Liabilities	74.57
Total Liabilities	$74.57

Certificate

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Section 24 of Chapter 82 of the Revised Laws of New Hampshire 1944, and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

LEWIS F. FOOTE,
Superintendent of Schools.

WILLIAM R. EATON,
RUTH B. LUSCOMBE,
ALBERT J. LAMOTHE,
School Board.

July 10, 1945

REPORT OF TREASURER

GOFFSTOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1945

Cash on hand, June 30, 1944		$2,193.51
Received from Selectmen:		
Appropriations for current year	$39,200.00	
Balance of previous appropriation	1,500.00	
Dog tax	650.97	
Received from State Treasurer	728.23	
Received from all other sources	758.78	
		42,837.98
Total amount available for fiscal year		$45,031.49
Less School Board orders paid		44,956.92
Balance on hand, June 30, 1945		$74.57

RUTH B. GAGNON,
District Treasurer.

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Goffstown, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1945 and find them correct in all respects.

BENJAMIN F. GREER,
FRANK W. BARTLETT,
HARRY F. COLBURN,
Auditors.

July 11, 1945

SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1946-1947
SCHOOL DISTRICT OF GOFFSTOWN

Detailed Statement of Expenditures

Support of Schools	*High School*	*Elementary Schools*	
Teachers' Salaries	$17,000	$16,500	
Text Books	450	450	
Scholars' Supplies	500	500	
Flags and Appurtenances	10	25	
Other Expenses of Instruction	300	300	
Janitor Service	750	1,600	
Fuel	600	1,600	
Water, Light, Janitors' Supplies	400	400	
Minor Repairs and Expenses	1,500	500	
Health Supervision (Medical Inspection)	400	600	
Transportation of Pupils	.....	4,200	
New Equipment	100	50	
	$22,010	$26,725	$48,735
Other Statutory Requirements:			
Salaries of District Officers		$275	
Truant Officer and School Census		100	
Payment of Tuition in High Schools and Academies		240	
Superintendent's Excess Salary		800	
Per Capita Tax		916	
Insurance		910	
Expenses of Administration		400	
Teacher and Superintendent Retirement		700	
			4,341
Total Amount Required to Meet School Board's Budget			$53,076

Estimated Income of District

Federal Funds	$250	
Dog Tax	600	
High School Tuition Receipts.....	300	
		1,150
Assessment Required to Balance School Board's Budget		$51,926

WILLIAM R. EATON,
RUTH B. LUSCOMBE,
ALBERT J. LAMOTHE,
School Board.

REPORT OF THE PLANNING BOARD

The Selectmen of the Town chose the following as members of the Planning Board: William R. Eaton, Harry S. Parker, Edith Durrell, Ruth B. Luscombe, Jean Larivierre, George E. Wright, and David V. Prugh.

Following a meeting with a representative of the State Planning and Development Commission it was decided to prepare a preliminary planning map of the Town. This map, consisting of a plan of the whole town on a scale of 1000′ equals 1″, and separate plans of the Village and of Pinardville each on the scale of 500′ equals 1″, has been prepared, and copies are available for general use by anyone interested.

The Board has marked a map with colored pins to indicate the different kinds of residences, schools, churches, county buildings, town buildings; retail stores; manufacturing plants; garages and filling stations; commercial poultry houses. This map is on display at the Town Meeting to show the present natural zoning of the different parts of the Town. It will be of considerable advantage in preparing a zoning program for the future.

The hazards connected with the present traffic intersection at South Mast Street and Pleasant Street were discussed, with the Selectmen. The State Highway Department was requested to make a proposal for a new traffic circle at this location. The plan proposed by the Department has been approved by the Board, and an appropriation for this change has been included in the Budget.

Although the Board is intending to prepare a long range program for the development of the Town in the future, there may be many matters which should be taken care of from time to time. Everyone should feel free to present any planning problem at any time by referring the matter to any member of the Board.

Births Registered in the Town of Goffstown, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1945

Date of Birth	Name of the Child	No. of Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Jan. 1	Constance Hume	2	Edwin A. Hume	Evelyn E. Burns	Windsor, Mass.	Arlington, Mass.
Jan. 6	Stella Lilianne Roy	4	Felix Roy	Colette Lurmel	Manchester, N. H.	Manchester, N. H.
Jan. 10	Bruce Edward Howland	6	Edward G. Howland	Margaret R. McIsaac	N. Woodstock, N. H.	Concord, N. H.
Jan. 12	Douglas Arthur Tower	4	Robert A. Tower	Vanessa Shatney	New Boston, N. H.	Springfield, Vt.
Jan. 22	Roger Parker Rice	3	A. Hambleton Rice	Katherine Abbott	Arlington, Mass.	Lynn, Mass.
Jan. 22	Margaret Abbott Rice	4	A. Hambleton Rice	Katherine Abbott	Arlington, Mass.	Lynn, Mass.
Feb. 6	Marie Rachel Muriel St. Onge	11	Elzear St. Onge	Marie Blanchette	Manchester, N. H.	Manchester, N. H.
Feb. 15	Janet Merrill Boulter	1	Robert I. Boulter	Marjorie R. Merrill	Walpole, Mass.	Nashua, N. H.
Feb. 26	Shirley Violet Hardy	5	Edwin J. Hardy	Awilde M. Hadden	Manchester, N. H.	Grasmere, N. H.
Mar. 4	Sylvia Ann Story	2	Herbert A. Story	Phoebe C. Monroe	Salem, Mass.	Rumney, N. H.
Mar. 9	Forest Eaton Greenwood	2	Earle S. Greenwood	Pauline M. Forrest	Grasmere, N. H.	Manchester, N. H.
Mar. 15	Edwin Douglas Barnard	5	Roland Amasa Barnard	Dorothy N. Philbrick	Weare, N. H.	Goffstown, N. H.
Mar. 16	Nancy Sharon Willis	..	Mitchell Willis	Lillian Connelly	Boston, Mass.	Holyoke, Mass.
Mar. 21	Robert Gerard L'Esperance	4	George L'Esperance	Alice Lamontagne	Manchester, N. H.	Manchester, N. H.
Mar. 28	Richard Clark Backus	4	Richard A. Backus	Harriet E. Wright	So. Orange, N. J.	Milton, Vt.
Mar. 29	Rachel Louise Holt	1	William R. Holt	Rachel L. Tessier	Milford, N. H.	Manchester, N. H.
Apr. 2	Roland Geo. Joseph Forest	3	George Forest	Rita Proulx	Manchester, N. H.	Manchester, N. H.
Apr. 3	Clark Herbert Bagnall	1	Reginald E. Bagnall	Natalie S. Clark	London, England	Lowell, Mass.
Apr. 4	Jean Pierre Hector LeBlanc	5	Hermas J. LeBlanc	Cecile C. Ouellette	Salem, Mass.	Salem, Mass.
Apr. 6	Robert Hervey Carter	2	Hervey C. Carter	Ruth Dale	Buffalo, N. Y.	Philadelphia, Pa.
Apr. 7	Lillian M. Bourgeois	1	Ovila P. Bourgeois	Marguerite Charest	Manchester, N. H.	Manchester, N. H.
Apr. 17	Simone Jeanne Morin	5	Philias J. Morin	Yvonne B. Croteau	Bedford, Mass.	Manchester, N. H.
Apr. 30	Jane Miller	1	Paul Miller	Susan A. Holobinko	Goffstown, N. H.	Merderan, Pa.
May 20	Judith Anne Akerly	3	Marvin E. Akerly	Mary L. Hitchfield	Goffstown, N. H.	Manchester, N. H.
May 25	Barbara Frances McKay	4	Murray H. McKay	Frances B. Poore	Augusta, Maine	Manchester, N. H.
May 30	Gail Ann Morgrage	4	Theron J. Morgrage	Freda B. Chase	Goffstown, N. H.	Perry, Iowa
June 19	Paul Reynolds Bailey	2	Paul H. Bailey	Mildred A. Eastman	New Boston, N. H.	Washington, Vt.
June 30	Cynthia Rose Rouillier	3	Maurice A. Rouillier	Rose M. Rice	Londonderry, N. H.	Weare, N. H.
June 30	Anna Katherine Zopfi	3	William Zopfi	Anna E. Baer	Switzerland	Switzerland
July 8	Carolyn Yvonne Tirrell	6	Lester W. Tirrell	Helen E. Watson	Goffstown, N. H.	Windham, N. H.
July 23	Carl Willard Dodge	1	Francis W. Dodge	Martha M. Baker	Nashua, N. H.	Manchester, N. H.
Aug. 31	Ruth Janice Vickery	4	Daniel H. Vickery	Dorothy E. Nason	Laconia, N. H.	Dover, N. H.
Sept. 22	Carl Daniel Westover 3rd	2	Carl D. Westover 2nd.	Georgina A. Thompson	Manchester, N. H.	Dawsonville, N. B.
Sept. 28	Deana Roberta DeWyngaerdt	2	George DeWyngaerdt	Helen O. Lussier	Belgium	Manchester, N. H.
Sept. 28	Thomas Richard DeWyngaerdt	3	George DeWyngaerdt	Helen O. Lussier	Belgium	Manchester, N. H.
Sept. 28	Kathalene Joyce Arnold	7	Maurice C. Arnold	Nellie D. Lafond	Old Town, Maine	Goffstown, N. H.
Sept. 29	Priscilla Pauline Laperle	7	Hector Laperle	Aldea Boisvert	Canada	Canada
Sept. 29	John Atwood Tribble	3	William D. Tribble	Annette H. Callan	Malden, Mass.	Malden, Mass.
Sept. 30	William Stark Whipple Jr.	1	William S. Whipple	Anne D. Revere	Goffstown, N. H.	Braintree, Mass.

Date of Birth	Name of the Child	No. of Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Oct. 2	William McCrillis Johnson.....	2	Thomas F. Johnson...	Frances R. McCrillis..	Arlington, Mass.	Manchester, N. H.
Oct. 9	Bradley Scott LeFrancois.....	3	Roger R. LeFrancois..	Elizabeth D. Phillips..	Manchester, N. H.....	Framingham, Mass.
Oct. 11	Carol Lee Rogers.....	3	Richard H. Rogers....	Dorothy May Jones...	Holderness, N. H.....	Manchester, N. H.
Oct. 13	Wanda Lee King.....	2	Arthur King	Helen Anna Eastman..	Franklin, N. H.....	E. Andover, N. H.
Oct. 30	William Harold Boisvert.....	1	Roger F. Boisvert.....	Edith I. Hood.....	Manchester, N. H.....	Goffstown, N. H.
Nov. 2	Linda Ann McDonald.....	1	Gordon B. McDonald..	Kathleen M. Hambleton	Franklin, N. H.....	Manchester, N. H.
Nov. 9	Janet Gail MacClennen.....	2	Dana C. MacClennen..	Virginia G. Bond.....	Winchester, Mass.	Manchester, N. H.
Nov. 21	Barbara Ann Bazinet.....	1	Donald Bazinet	Pearl L. Bales.....	Haverhill, Mass.	Big Stone Gap, Va.
Nov. 29	Joseph Henry R. Lavallee.....	1	———	Rita Irene Lavalle....	———	Manchester, N. H.

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ELIZABETH HUTCHINS, *Town Clerk.*

Marriages Registered in the Town of Goffstown, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1945

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of Each	Age	Color	Name of Father	By Whom Married
Jan. 14	Jacksonville, Fla.	Lawton B. Connor Betty E. Martin	Goffstown, N. H. Goffstown, N. H.	20 19	All White	Leroy A. Connor Arthur Martin	Rev. Bradford H. Tite, Chaplain, U.S.N.R.
Jan. 24	Manchester, N. H.	Robert Francis Boucher Elaine Mary Breton	Goffstown, N. H. Goffstown, N. H.	21 19		Edgar D. Boucher Francis J. Breton	Rev. Stephen T. Mayer, Catholic Priest
Feb. 14	Goffstown, N. H.	Samuel Herbert Bixby Alice Jennie Lajoie	Goffstown, N. H. Manchester, N. H.	22 24		John A. Bixby Frederick J. Lajoie	Rev. Edward A. Durham, Minister of the Gospel
Mar. 18	Goffstown, N. H.	Gordon Dodge Thorp Bessie Clara Taylor	Manchester, N. H. Goffstown, N. H.	26 24		Crofton Thorp Alexander Taylor	Rev. Arthur E. Gregg, Clergyman
Apr. 14	Goffstown, N. H.	Paul E. Cullerot Constance E. Parks	Manchester, N. H. Goffstown, N. H.	26 21		Eugene Cullerot Howard W. Parks	Rev. Rene A. Constant, Roman Catholic Priest
Apr. 14	Manchester, N. H.	Armand Joseph Gagnon Yvonne A. Sasseville	Manchester, N. H. Goffstown, N. H.	27 24		John Gagnon Egid Lemay	Meyer Green, Justice of the Peace
May 12	Manchester, N. H.	Robert Roland Caron Laurette M. Fortin	Manchester, N. H. Goffstown, N. H.	20 17		Robert L. Caron Alphonse Fortin	Rev. J. C. Morin, Catholic Clergyman
May 12	Manchester, N. H.	Richard Joseph Plante Corinne F. LaMothe	Goffstown, N. H. Manchester, N. H.	26 25		Elphege J. Plante Hippolyte LaMothe	Rev. Paul Desaulnier, Roman Catholic Priest
May 19	Manchester, N. H.	Bruno Leo Plourde Rita Emma DeNauw	Goffstown, N. H. Manchester, N. H.	20 19		Henry Plourde Oscar DeNauw	Rev. Raymond Burns, Catholic Priest
May 26	Grasmere, N. H.	Josiah Batch'der Tilton Ada Louise Thorpe	Grasmere, N. H. Pontiac, Mich.	23 23		Joseph B. Tilton Worthy Thorp	Rev. Bruce N. Garnsey, Minister of the Gospel
May 26	Goffstown, N. H.	Roger Frank Boisvert Edith Irene Hood	Manchester, N. H. Goffstown, N. H.	20 17		Euclide Boisvert Harold W. Hood	Rev. Austin H. Reed, Clergyman
July 21	Goffstown, N. H.	George E. Offutt Ethel May Bailey	Goffstown, N. H. Goffstown, N. H.	64 62		Albert E. Offutt Frank Ferson	Rev. C. Leslie Curtis, Ordained Clergyman
July 21	Manchester, N. H.	John W. McLane, Jr. Carol Georganna Colby	Goffstown, N. H. Manchester, N. H.	21 19		John McLane Arthur B. Colby	Rev. Vernon L. Phillips, Clergyman

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of Each	Age	Color	Name of Father	By Whom Married
July 25	Goffstown, N. H.....	Emil M. Nawoj.....	Franklin, N. H.....	25	All White	Martin Nawoj	Rev. Rene A. Constant,
		Helen Whitten	Goffstown, N. H.....	25		Lawrence E. Whitten..	Roman Catholic Priest
July 29	Goffstown, N. H.....	Paul James Wilson....	New Boston, N. H....	27		Edwin Wilson	Rev. Edward A. Durham,
		Edna Mae Hartigan....	Grasmere, N. H.....	25		Mortimer Hartigan ...	Minister of the Gospel
Aug. 5	Goffstown, N. H.....	Wm. F. Dalgetty, Jr..	Goffstown, N. H.....	22		William F. Dalgetty..	Rev. Austin H. Reed,
		Rita Irene Baron.....	Goffstown, N. H.....	21		Arthur Baron	Clergyman
Aug. 14	Goffstown, N. H.....	Gordon B. McDonald.	Goffstown, N. H.....	19		Ewen F. McDonald....	Rev. Austin H. Reed,
		Kathleen M. Hambleton	Goffstown, N. H.....	16		A. Kenneth Hambleton	Clergyman
Aug. 16	Manchester, N. H.....	Andrew J. Desrochers.	Goffstown, N. H.....	26		Joseph Desrochers	Rev. J. C. Morin,
		Lillian E. Charest....	Goffstown, N. H.....	34		Alonzo Charest	Catholic Clergyman
Aug. 22	Manchester, N. H.....	Lyndon F. Lakeman...	Goffstown, N. H.....	24		Harold P. Lakeman...	Rev. Mark B. Strickland,
		Ruth Elizabeth Corning	Manchester, N. H.....	24		Carroll T. Corning...	Clergyman
Sept. 15	Manchester, N. H.....	Raymond Edward Dunn	Grasmere, N. H.....	21		Edward Dunn	Rev. J. C. Morin,
		Doris J. E. Chainey...	Grasmere, N. H.....	16		Ernest Chainey	Catholic Clergyman
Sept. 22	Goffstown, N. H.....	Amos F. Gordon.....	Goffstown, N. H.....	25		Perley Gordon	Rev. Austin H. Reed,
		Marion E. Merrill.....	Goffstown, N. H.....	19		Percy Merrill	Clergyman
Sept. 29	Manchester, N. H.....	Ernest Frank Tibbetts.	Goffstown, N. H.....	24		George E. Tibbetts....	Rev. Gilles Simard,
		Germaine P. Dancause.	Manchester, N. H.....	19		Joseph F. Dancause...	Roman Catholic Priest
Sept. 29	Manchester, N. H.....	Roland Joseph Roy...	Goffstown, N. H.....	21		Joseph Roy	Rev. Robert Larouce,
		Doris Fl'rette St. Onge	Manchester, N. H.....	21		William St. Onge.....	Roman Catholic Priest
Nov. 3	Manchester, N. H.....	Maurice Ovila Laplante	Manchester, N. H.....	25		Emile Laplante	Rev. J. C. Morin,
		Therese Rachel Gagnon	Goffstown, N. H.....	21		Henry Gagnon	Catholic Clergyman
Nov. 12	Goffstown, N. H.....	Alexander R. Anderson	New Sweden, Maine....	29		Orin N. Anderson....	Rev. Mallard L. Nelson,
		Marian Louise Marshall	Goffstown, N. H.....	22		Robert R. Marshall...	Lutheran Clergyman
Nov. 22	Manchester, N. H.....	Henry A. Boisclair....	Manchester, N. H.....	28		Arthur O. Boisclair...	Rev. J. C. Morin,
		Yvette A. Hebert.....	Goffstown, N. H.....	21		Lucien M. Hebert.....	Catholic Clergyman

Marriages Registered in the Town of Goffstown, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1945

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of Each	Age	Color	Name of Father	By Whom Married
Nov. 22	Deering, N. H.....	Arthur M. Whitney... Doris Maude Marsh...	Hillsboro, N. H..... Goffstown, N. H.....	31 29	All White	Arthur M. Whitney... Charles Gage	Rev. Milo Farmer, Methodist Minister
Dec. 2	Goffstown, N. H.....	Lewis William Blake... Muriel Mae Ferguson..	Hopkinton, N. H..... Goffstown, N. H.....	25 20	All White	William C. Blake..... Winslow Ferguson	Rev. Robert K. Noon, Ordained Minister
Dec. 2	Goffstown, N. H.....	Charlton Thos. Rogers Mildred Hilda Ferguson	Port Jefferson, N. Y... Goffstown, N. H.....	23 25	All White	Charles Rogers ..... Winslow Ferguson ...	Rev. Robert K. Noon, Ordained Minister
Dec. 18	Manchester, N. H.....	Ludger Joseph Beaudet. Bernadeth S. Charest..	Goffstown, N. H..... Goffstown, N. H.....	25 25	All White	Armand Beaudet ..... Azarias Charest	Rev. J. C. Morin, Catholic Clergyman

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ELIZABETH HUTCHINS, *Town Clerk.*

Deaths Registered in the Town of Goffstown, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1945

Date of Death	Name of the Deceased	Age			Place of Birth	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
		Yrs.	Mos.	Days			
Jan. 6	Rosanna Duval	61	..	9	Goffstown, N. H.	Frank Gagnon	Arthemise
Jan. 9	Annie Olive Hill	69	..	11	Goffstown, N. H.	William Shirley	Margaret Ann Shirley
Feb. 3	Grace Lucy Offutt	66	0	9	Coaticook, P. Q.	Herbert Hanson	Mary Ewens
Feb. 7	Alice M. Dearborn	53	8	..	Bedford, N. H.	Frank S. Dearborn	Sabra Mudge
Feb. 27	Frederick B. Luscombe	84	..	5	Portland, Maine	George E. Luscombe	Martha Loring
Mar. 3	Charles A. Provencher	44	1	17	Manchester, N. H.	Albert Provencher	Emma E. Fairall
Mar. 15	Charles S. Cram	62	11	16	Goffstown, N. H.	Byron H. Cram	Jennie Scribner
Mar. 24	Martha T. Armstrong	67	0	18	Londonderry, N. H.	Charles K. Titcomb	Laura Nichols
Mar. 24	Harold Cushman	76	8	19	Haverhill, Mass.	Harold Cushman	Emma Brennen
Mar. 29	Joseph Gregoire	76	..	..	Canada	Joseph Gregoire	Philomene Routhier
Apr. 4	Josiah Batchelder Tilton	61	1	9	Deerfield, N. H.	Harrison J. Tilton	Sarah E. Langmaid
Apr. 4	Adelard Therrien	50	4	0	Manchester, N. H.	Herman Therrien	Olive Leclers
Apr. 8	Ella Morey	92	6	19	Salisbury, N. H.	William Huntoon	Martha C. Gookin
Apr. 11	Louis F. Dennis	74	5	4	Dunbarton, N. H.	Joseph Dennis	Margaret ———
Apr. 20	Loella Stiles	87	10	24	Goffstown, N. H.	Jabez B. Pattee	Lorinda Jones
Apr. 29	Everett Irving Kingsley	22	2	7	Springfield, Mass.	Louis Kingsley	Cora Giles
May 5	Angelina Whitmore	56	10	20	Canada	Onesime Descoteau	Leonie Carbonneau
May 9	Charles Carroll	71	10	26	Pittsfield, Vt.	———	———
May 12	William Fulton Dalgetty	56	6	..	York Co., Scotland	William F. Dalgetty	Elizabeth ———
May 24	Celina Boucher	76	8	5	Canada	John Rouillard	——— Boilard
May 25	Ellsworth Lowe	85	1	12	Greenfield, N. H.	Fred N. Lowe	——— Messenger
June 11	Waldo Andrus Caswell	87	2	28	Northwood, N. H.	William A. Caswell	Susan M. Emerson
June 16	Edwin Whipple	82	11	16	Dunbarton, N. H.	Israel Whipple	Lydia McIntyre
June 26	Charles Sanford Johnson	85	4	25	Sweden	———	———
July 11	Charles Adams	68	..	14	Manchester, N. H.	Alvina A. Adams	Mamie Lockhead
July 25	Harriet Chamberlain Campbell	95	8	5	New Boston, N. H.	Joseph M. Andrews	Eliza Tewksbury
July 30	Sarah R. Quimby	76	3	7	Canaan, N. H.	Melvin Harvey	Mary Martin
Aug. 15	John A. Brown	45	..	24	Goffstown, N. H.	John W. Brown	Alice Carter
Aug. 28	William F. Clark	61	7	16	Manchester, N. H.	Thomas Clark	Mary ———
Aug. 30	Mary Hayden	70	2	26	Ireland	Patrick Hayden	Julia ———
Sept. 2	Mabel Simons	77	6	7	Weare Center, N. H.	Stephen Colby	Josephine Simons
Sept. 18	Harry Sykes	69	8	8	Pittsfield, N. H.	Charles A. Sykes	Ida E. Dow
Sept. 26	Frank Stevens	77	3	8	Goffstown, N. H.	Benjamin Stevens	Martha C. Worthler
Oct. 1	Joseph Allaire	72	..	..	Canada	Joseph Allaire	Rose Melanson
Oct. 3	Charles F. Story	66	11	27	Dunbarton, N. H.	David Story	Sara Ann Stinson

Date of Death	Name of the Deceased	Age			Place of Birth	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
		Yrs.	Mos.	Days			
Oct. 7	Beulah V. Putnam	61	5	18	Woodstock, N. B.	John Kerr	Anne Smith
Oct. 10	Clerina Boulanger Cloutier	64	3	28	Canada	Jean B. Boulanger	Rebecca Lafontaine
Oct. 24	Exilia Celina Blondeau	71	11	14	Canada	Nazaire Martineau	Celina Nadeau
Nov. 5	James Theoharis	53	..	..	Greece	Lambros Theoharis	Agoron Yateslos
Nov. 7	Frank Crowell	69	11	20	High Park, Vt.	Elmon Crowell	——— Plummer
Nov. 25	Jennie May Hall	66	4	25	Goffstown, N. H.	David A. Paige	Ella F. Harrington
Dec. 9	William A. Dow	75	2	20	Middleton, N. H.	Lewis Dow	Margaret Page
Dec. 19	Mary Warren	75	3	5	Goffstown, N. H.	George Warren	Lydia A. Burnham
Dec. 23	Odias Belisle	89	8	2	Canada	Hubert Dubois	Adeline Fugere
Dec. 26	Nettie A. Ferson	73	7	22	Goffstown, N. H.	Franklin Pierce	Adalaide Adams

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ELIZABETH HUTCHINS, *Town Clerk.*

Record of Interments in West Lawn Cemetery, 1945

Name	Date of Death	Date of Burial	Late Residence	Age		
				Yrs.	Mos.	Days
William P. Melvin	Feb. 24, 1945	Feb. 27, 1945	S. Weare, N. H.	64	10	15
Frederick B. Luscombe	Feb. 27, 1945	Mar. 2, 1945	Goffstown, N. H.	84	..	5
Emma B. Brown	Mar. 16, 1945	Mar. 18, 1945	Manchester, N. H.	62	9	3
Harry C. White	Mar. 18, 1945	Mar. 19, 1945	Springfield, Mass.	86	7	8
Abraham L. Conn	Apr. 9, 1945	Apr. 9, 1945	Melrose, Mass.	79	11	6
Alvin P. Smith	Apr. 3, 1945	Apr. 11, 1945	New Boston, N. H.	62	8	22
Loella Stiles	Apr. 20, 1945	Apr. 22, 1945	Goffstown, N. H.	87	10	24
Everett I. Kingsley	Apr. 29, 1945	May 1, 1945	Goffstown, N. H.	22	2	22
William F. Dalgetty	May 12, 1945	May 15, 1945	Goffstown. N. H.	56	6	..
John C. Younkers	May 16, 1945	May 19, 1945	Concord, N. H.	68	..	20
Harry H. Simons	May 21, 1945	May 24, 1945	Dover, N. H.	86	..	11
Edwin Whipple	June 16, 1945	June 19, 1945	Goffstown, N. H.	82	11	16
Linda S. Patten	June 20, 1945	June 22, 1945	Somerville, Mass.	..	11	..
Harriet C. Campbell	July 25, 1945	July 28, 1945	Goffstown, N. H.	95	8	5
Sarah R. Quimby	July 30, 1945	Aug. 3, 1945	Goffstown, N. H.	76	3	7
Mabel Simons	Sept. 2, 1945	Sept. 5, 1945	Concord, N. H.	77	6	7
Beulah V. Putnam	Oct. 7, 1945	Oct. 10, 1945	Goffstown, N. H.	61	5	18
Frank Crowell	Nov. 7, 1945	Nov. 10, 1945	Goffstown, N. H.	69	11	20
Lewis S. Richards	Nov. 11, 1945	Nov. 13, 1945	Nashua, N. H.	51	4	26
Mamie L. Van Vliet	Nov. 25, 1945	Nov. 26, 1945	Manchester, N. H.	61	3	25
Jennie M. Hall	Nov. 25, 1945	Nov. 28, 1945	Goffstown, N. H.	66	4	25
Fred L. Locke	Dec. 27, 1945	Dec. 30, 1945	Goffstown, N. H.	84	2	..
Genevieve M. Whipple	Dec. 31, 1945	Jan. 3, 1946	Goffstown, N. H.	77	8	24

MARSHALL FRENCH, *Superintendent.*

Hillside Cemetery, Grasmere, N. H.

Name	Date of Death	Date of Interment	Late Residence	Age		
				Yrs.	Mos.	Days
Charles Carroll	May 9, 1945	May 12, 1945	Grasmere, N. H.....	71	10	26
Frances A. Humphrey.....	May 27, 1945	May 30, 1945	Manchester, N. H.....	48	11	13
Harriet M. M. Richards..	May 26, 1945	May 29, 1945	Concord, N. H.....	99	1	..
Harry A. Merrill.....	June 6, 1945	June 9, 1945	Salem, Mass.	54	..	..
Frank Stevens	Sept. 26, 1945	Sept. 29, 1945	Goffstown, N. H.....	77	3	8

WALTER A. MILES, *Superintendent.*

Shirley Hill Cemetery, Goffstown, N. H.

Name	Date of Death	Date of Interment	Late Residence	Age		
				Yrs.	Mos.	Days
Nettie A. Ferson.....	Dec. 26, 1945	Dec. 29, 1945	Goffstown, N. H.....	73	7	22

JAMES SHIRLEY, *Superintendent.*